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VANCOUVER SEEKING POWER TO WITHHOLD INTEREST ON BONDS

Council Passes Resolution to Ask Holders to Accept 50 Per Cent Reduction—Also Asks Government to Give City Power to Suspend Half of Payments Due

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (AP).—The City Council, by a vote of nine to four, today, passed a resolution that holders of Vancouver bonds be asked to accept a reduction of 50 per cent in interest charges for the time being.

The resolution asks the British Columbia Government to give the city power to suspend payments of 50 per cent of the interest charges.

The resolution read:

"Resolved, that this council place before the holders of this city's issued bonds the serious nature of our city's financial problems and that the said bondholders be advised that, pending some effective arrangements, under which responsibilities, rights and privileges of the National, Provincial and municipal Governments can be readjusted in the realms of public service, taxation and finance, that our city cannot continue to pay more than 50 per cent of the interest charges accruing due on its outstanding bonds and that all of the said bondholders be requested to accept the same upon the understanding that when such arrangement is made, if it be possible, all such deferred interest charges will be provided for.

ASK TO AMEND ACT

"Be it further resolved that the city council respectfully ask the Government of the Province of British Columbia to so amend the Vancouver Incorporation Act as to give to this city the power to suspend payments of 50 per cent of the interest due or accruing on its outstanding bonded indebtedness, and that copies of this resolution be sent to the Prime Minister, the Minister of Finance, Ottawa, also to the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance at Victoria."

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SPREADS FIX MILK PRICES

Mainland Milk Board Establishes Margins for Sale of Dairy Products

By establishment of price spreads for wholesale, retail and bulk vending of milk in the vicinity of Vancouver, the Lower Mainland Dairy Products Board have, in effect, succeeded in fixing prices, according to information forwarded to provincial authorities.

Consumers are to pay on the basis of nine cents per quart for milk of 3.25 per cent butterfat; ten cents for 4.25 per cent, and eleven cents for 5 per cent butterfat milk. Prices prior to control when competition was free and there was a large milk surplus, were: six, seven and eight cents per quart in the Vancouver area.

OBJECT IS OBTAINED

While no definite order fixing consumer prices has been made, the same object is attained by setting the spreads which wholesale and retail purveyors (other than retail stores) must add to the price they pay for milk of the different grades. This, it was estimated in Government circles, would result in the ultimate consumer paying from nine to eleven cents according to the grade of milk purchased.

In two orders, this week, the Lower Mainland Dairy Products Board makes clear its purpose. The first order requires all vendors and producers engaged in sale of milk to register with the board and obtain temporary licences by January 15. The second order set the actual spread which bulk-vendors, wholesalers and retailers may charge on a butterfat basis.

Copies of the orders were handed to Hon. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, for his information.

URGES COURT TO UPHOLD CONGRESS

U.S. Attorney-General Foresees Chaos if Prohibition of Gold Payments Declared Illegal

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP).—To prevent "chaos" and avoid sending the United States into international economic conferences "on crutches," Attorney-General Cummings today urged the supreme court to uphold congress in prohibiting gold payments.

He told the high tribunal that if contracts and bonds predating the legislation were to be paid in specie or the equivalent of the old gold dollar an intolerable situation would ensue.

At issue was the familiar clause of most bond issues calling for payment in gold in dollars having a total gold value equal to the amount of specie stipulated in the bond.

REFORM PLAN IS ENDORSED

Victoria Conservative Association Accords Unanimous Support to Policy

State intervention in the control of business, specified hours of work, minimum wage regulation, an advisory economic council, reorganization of the Civil Service, adjustment of farm debts, improvement and revision of all social legislation and other planks in the Bennett reform platform, outlined seriatim to the Victoria Conservative Association last evening by D. B. Plunkett, M.P.P., were endorsed by that body in full. Rt. Hon R. B. Bennett will be so advised. More than 500 attended a meeting at the Conservative rooms, with Hugh Allen presiding.

The Federal member for Victoria spoke for an hour in appreciation of the manner in which the Bennett administration had guided Canada through the worst of the economic storm, citing problems that had had to be faced and describing how each had been met. He quoted published trade statistics from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics to show that Canada's internal and external trade were safely on the mend, with enhanced prestige among world nations and definitely brighter prospects for the future.

Mr. Plunkett classed the reform policy as announced by the Prime

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SINKING VESSEL NOT JUSTIFIED

Judicial Commission Rules Apology in Order in I'm Alone Case

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP).—The ghost of the rum-runner I'm Alone was laid today by a final judicial ruling that Canada should receive an apology and $50,666, but that the United States could cross off the rest of the $386,803 demand in damages.

The joint judicial commission, bringing one of prohibition's most spectacular episodes nearer conclusion, declared the sinking of the vessel was "not justified."

"The commissioners consider," said the decision, "that the United States ought formally to acknowledge its illegality, and to apologize to His Majesty's Canadian Government therefore; and, further, that as a material amend in respect of the wrong, the United States should pay the sum of $25,000 to His Majesty's Canadian Government, and they recommend accordingly."

DE FACTO AMERICAN

The commission today declared that, although she was a British ship of Canadian registry, she "was de facto owned, controlled, and at critical times managed, and her movements directed and her cargo dealt with and disposed of, by a group of persons acting in concert who were entirely, or nearly so, citizens of the United States."

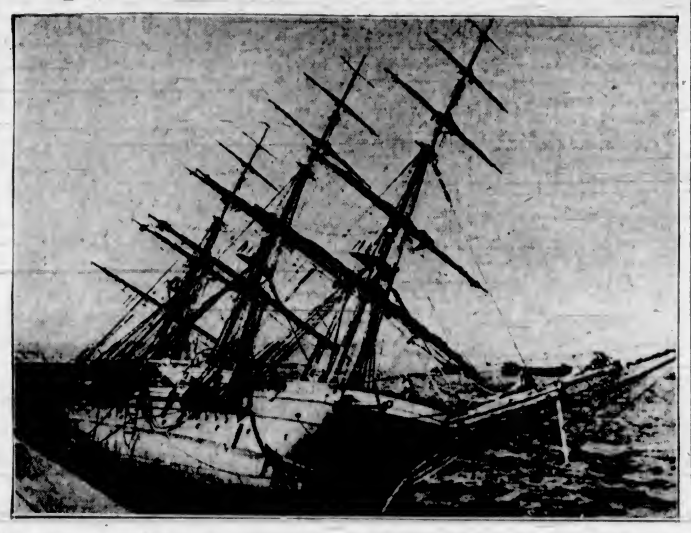
The commission recommended that Captain John T. Randall be given $7,906. Other suggested awards for the seamen were: Amanda Malnguy, whose husband, Leon, was drowned in the disaster, $10,185; for the representatives of John Williams, deceased, $1,250.50; for the representatives of William Wordsworth, deceased, $907; Jens Jansen, $1,098; James Barrett, $1,032; Eddie Young, $999; Chesley Hobbs, $1,323; Edward Fouchard, $965.

America's Thirst Swells Revenue

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP).—America's thirst returned more than $1,000,000 a day in liquor taxes during the calendar year 1934.

A statement issued today by the Internal Revenue Bureau placed total collections at $374,506,232.50 for the year.

Frigate Blown on Rocks of Sea Wall



The English Three-Masted Frigate Joseph Conrad on the Rocks of the Sea Wall in Brooklyn, N.Y., After Being Blown From Her Moorings by High Winds. The Joseph Conrad, From Ipswich, England, Was on the First Leg of a World Tour.

Thirteen Drowned When Trawler Strikes Bar in Fog-Bound Humber River

Trapped Below Deck by Inrush of Water When Vessel Sinks

EUROPE IN GRIP OF BITTER WEATHER

HULL, England, Jan. 9 (AP).—Thirteen persons were believed to have drowned, tonight, in the sinking steam trawler Edgar Wallace, which struck a sandbank in the fog-bound River Humber.

Three of the Edgar Wallace's crew of sixteen were rescued. Most of the victims were trapped below decks in a sudden inrush of water.

One of the survivors, brought to Hull by the Ss. Goole, which picked him out of the water, said the trawler struck a sandbank in the dark, heeled over and filled with water, sinking quickly. Other survivors were picked up by the steamer William Cash.

SUDDENLY DISAPPEARED

Apparently the Edgar Wallace struck while returning down the Humber to Hull with a trawl. She suddenly disappeared about three-quarters of a mile off shore. She was a vessel of 336 tons, registered at Hull.

A member of the Goole's crew said men on his vessel heard cries for help when they were near Hessle, after which Wilcox was found hanging to a piece of wreckage and rescued. The other survivors were named Coleton and Hendrick.

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Earthquakes Cause Great Damage on Shores of Sea of Marmora

ISTANBUL, Jan. 9 (CP-Havas).—Scenes of terror and desolation, today, were presented by the earthquake-ridden country around the Sea of Marmora, where many villages lay in ruins and thousands were homeless. Persistent earthshocks and subterranean rumblings, evidence that the temblors of the last week-end have not yet ended, forced the population of whole villages to flee.

It was decided to abandon the Isle of Marmora, where property damage was extremely great. Mainland villages destroyed included Pachaliman, Harmanli, Pyrazaler and Touzla. Special rescue ships were sent out from here.

Jafsie Positive That Hauptmann Was John Of Ransom Dealings

Former Schoolmaster Gives Story of His Actions and Adventures as Intermediary Between Lindbergh and the Kidnappers of His Baby

FLEMINGTON, N.J., Jan. 9 (AP).—Dr. John F. Condon, "Jasfie" of the Lindbergh kidnapping case, opened up new pages of that fantastic tragedy today with a witness-stand story that thrice branded Bruno Richard Hauptmann as "John," the cemetery ransom taker.

Firm, almost eager, in his accusal, the seventy-four-year-old former Bronx teacher told his direct story today for two and one-half hours at Hauptmann's murder trial and then turned on defence inquisitors with vigor.

Again the chiding schoolmaster, he lectured Edward J. Reilly, chief of defence counsel, until the portly lawyer protested that he could "take it."

DEMANDS MISTRIAL

At one point his testimony, on cross-examination, provoked a defence demand for a mistrial. The motion, directly the result of an interruption by Attorney-General Davis T. Wilentz, was denied quickly by Justice Thomas W. Trenchard.

There was no doubt in the voice of the tall, white-haired scholar as he shook a pedantic finger and repeated:

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E. W. NEEL IS CHOSEN LEADER

Chairman of Island Farmers Cautions Against Farm Regimentation

F. W. Neel, Duncan, was re-elected chairman of the Vancouver Island District Farmers' Institutes yesterday, and member on the advisory board of British Columbia Institutes. C. H. Helgeson was named alternate member on the provincial group, while W. J. Benavia was re-elected secretary. Delegates representing thirty-six institutes and 673 members closed their annual meeting at the Legislative Buildings during the day. C. E. Whitney-Griffiths presided.

Closing resolutions appealed for lower interest rates on private farm loans, and expressed a measure of censure on the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture (1934), which ignored resolutions from the group of institutes until the House had risen.

ADVISES CAUTION

In his presidential report, Mr. Neel referred to improvement in economic conditions in Canada during 1934, and expressed hope for the continuation of that improvement during the ensuing year. He cautioned agriculturists against price-fixing and regimentation under governmental control, saying such a course left the farmer worse off in the end, as experience had shown.

"In some countries production has been controlled; prices have been fixed; farmers have been regimented; and everything possible done to prove that nature can be controlled by a wave of a brain-

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SURRENDERS ON FRAUD CHARGES

Canadian Tires of Playing Tag in California—Confesses to Cashing Bogus Orders

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan 9 (AP).—Confessing that "this game of tag is getting tiresome," Edward Buckle, thirty-four, Canadian, today gave himself up, declaring he had been living by cashing fictitious Canadian Pacific Express money orders, Police Captain Jack Trainor announced today.

Buckle said he had lived lavishly in San Francisco, San Diego and Los Angeles since last November on money from some sixty Canadian Pacific money orders he stole while employed by the Rolph, Clark and Stone Lithographing Company of Toronto, Captain Trainor said.

POLICE ARREST DRUG SUSPECT

Detectives Woodburn and Jarvis Capture Chinese on Store Street

Trapped in the dark shadows of a disused building near the E. & N. Railway station on deserted Store Street shortly after 1 o'clock this morning, Chong Chong, forty-year-old Chinese was captured by Detectives Fearon Woodburn and Henry Jarvis, of the city police, allegedly with eight full tins of what is believed to be opium valued at approximately $1,000.

Another Chinese, who passed the package to Chong, disappeared in an alleyway after Detective Woodburn had chased him for nearly a block. When arrested Chong had the tins, wrapped in paper, tucked up the sleeves of his coat, police stated.

On their nightly round of Chinatown and the wharf section Detectives Woodburn and Jarvis sighted a Chinese carrying a parcel and proceeding towards the E. & N. station. The two detectives waited in a doorway and saw the Chinese hand a package over to a second man who was just visible in the darkness. Quick action resulted in the taking of Chong, but the other Chinese made off, and escaped.

FLOODS IN NEW YORK

ALBANY, N.Y., Jan. 9 (AP).—Swollen by rain and melting snow, rivers and creeks throughout New York State rose steadily tonight, flooding highways and homes and stopping automobile traffic on some main highways.

BENNETT TO TIGHTEN COMPANY LAWS TO PROTECT INVESTORS

Right to Issue No-Par Value Shares to Be Abolished in Amendments to Stamp Out Evils in Corporations Operating Under Federal Authority—Anticipates Charges of Radicalism

Plans Measure to Make Short Term Credit More Abundant

OTTAWA, Jan. 9 (CP).—Amendments to the Dominion Companies Act will be introduced at the forthcoming parliamentary session which will, Prime Minister R. B. Bennett declared tonight, "with the co-operation of the citizens of Canada, stamp out evils in corporations operating under Dominion authority." The amendments would, among other things, abolish the right to issue shares of no par value.

Mr. Bennett closed the fourth of his series of broadcast addresses with a reference to those who might describe his reform policies as "Radicalism." He anticipated that charge.

"Selfish men, corporations without souls, those fearful that this Government might impinge upon what they have come to regard as their immemorial right of exploitation will whisper against us," he said. "We fear them not. The lives and happiness of too many people depend upon our success to allow the selfishness of a few individuals to endanger it."

Tonight's address marked the close of Mr. Bennett's account of his stewardship, his outline of needed reforms and his proposals to meet the need. It is understood he will deal with the political picture in general in the next address scheduled for Friday night, and in the final of the series to be delivered in Montreal next Tuesday night.

VOLUME OF CREDIT

Establishment of the central bank, measure designed to make low rate short term credits more abundant, and Government financing, were reviewed tonight. The central bank, Mr. Bennett said, would be "charged with the responsibilities of seeing that the volume of credit available does not depend upon the working of competitive business forces. It will be a powerful instrument for social justice."

The decision Canadian people would be asked to make in the gen-

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Second Wreck in Four Days Takes Its Toll in Russia

MOSCOW, Jan. 9 (AP).—Six persons were killed, and twenty-three injured today, in a train wreck near Rostov-on-Don, it was announced here tonight. It was the second serious train wreck in Russia in four days. Like the previous accident near Leningrad, which resulted in the death of twenty-three persons, the one reported today was a rear-end collision. It was reported to have happened this morning.

CHALLENGES OPPONENTS

Minister of Trade Demands That Other Parties Declare Their Position

MONCTON, N.B., Jan. 9 (CP).—A challenge to opponents of the Government to declare their position in regard to the "new deal" of Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, was thrown out here tonight by Minister of Trade and Commerce R. B. Hanson.

With the declaration that opponents of the Government occupied a position of "absolute negation," the minister predicted a "rude awakening" for them. The first shocks he said, had already made themselves felt.

"Are they for reform of the conditions alluded to by the Prime Minister, or are they against reform?" queried the minister, speaking from a platform in his own province. "If they are for reform we will welcome their co-operation — if they are against reform they must incur the odium of their negative attitude."

BATTLE IS ON

The Government, said Mr. Hanson, had been "so busy keeping the ship of state afloat and preserving the credit of Canada and providing means for the amelioration of the condition of our unemployed that it has been altogether unmindful of its own existence." That era was ended, however. He referred to the presence on the platform of J. E. Lawson, chief organizer of the Conservative party as evidence "that the battle is on," and declared, "We intend to win the next election."

Charging the Government had received from the Liberal Opposition "nothing but opposition during all these trying days," Mr. Hanson devoted considerable time to the record of the Administration. It was, he said, "a wonderful record in the field of legislation, administration and achievement."

KILLED BY HIS SAW WHEN CUTTING WOOD

ST. STEPHEN, N.B., Jan. 9 (CP).—Spinning suddenly from its sockets, a circular saw decapitated Leo Malloy, fifty-three, while he was cutting wood at Baileyville, Me., according to reports reaching here. Malloy had put an ice-covered log against the spinning teeth when the saw shot from its spindle.

Man Slays Six Persons In Kentucky

BRODHEAD, Ky., Jan. 9 (AP).—The massacre of six persons and wounding of two others in the foothills of Eastern Kentucky, today, was laid by a coroner's jury, early tonight, to the desperation of a fugitive from justice, who then took his own life.

The jury at the inquest, conducted by Coroner J. A. Jones, found that George Collett, forty-three, a former roadhouse operator, slew his wife, parents-in-law, a brother-in-law and a neighbor couple, and wounded a sister-in-law and brother-in-law, before committing suicide.

WILL PAY VISIT TO WEST INDIES

Duke and Duchess of Kent to End Their Honeymoon There

LONDON, Jan. 9 (CP).—The newly-married royal couple, the Duke and Duchess of Kent, will sail for the British West Indies on January 25 for a visit of several weeks, completing their honeymoon.

Announcement was made today that the King's youngest son and his lovely bride, the former Princess Marina of Greece, will sail on board the Duchess of Richmond, which is going on a forty-eight-day cruise of the West Indies. They will not remain aboard during the cruise, however, and will return on another steamer. They are not expected back until early in April.

It will be the first visit to the West Indies for Prince George as well as for Princess Marina.

They have been in England since their wedding at Westminster Abbey on November 29, a festival occasion for London, but are expected to visit the Continent before sailing for the West Indies.

FROZE ON THE TRAIL

WHITEMOUTH, Man., Jan. 9 (CP).—Jerry Ford, fifty, set out from here to walk four miles to the unemployment relief camp near here. His frozen body was found on the trail some hours later. It is believed he was a victim of a heart seizure.

C.C.F. Leader Backs Bennett Proposals With Reservations

J. S. Woodsworth Endorses Move for Unemployment Insurance, National Health Insurance and Old-Age Pensions Changes

PETERBORO, Ont., Jan. 9 (CP).—James S. Woodsworth, member of the House of Commons for Winnipeg North Centre and national leader of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, tonight endorsed, with some reservations, the proposals recently made by Premier R. B. Bennett regarding unemployment insurance, national health insurance, and the amendments to the Old Age Pensions Act.

crowded to capacity the Legion Hall here, he said his chief criticism of the Prime Minister's proposals was their indefiniteness, and added that they had, in the main, been advocated by the minority party for the past seven years.

"I would like to say to Bennett that, if he is sincere, he put on the statutes at the next session of Parliament, legislation of the kind recently adopted in Great Britain," Mr. Woodsworth said.

Quoting from a recent cabled report, the C.C.F. leader referred to recent legislation which has increased unemployment insurance benefits in Great Britain and has assured cash relief to all persons normally in receipts of less than twenty-five shillings a week.

"I would like to give that as a challenge to the Honorable R. B. Bennett," Mr. Woodsworth said. "He has one more session to go, and unless he uses that opportunity this year—and I say our party will give him every assistance to put these measures through—I shall have no confidence in the future."

INCORPORATION IS NOT DESIRED

Bechuanaland Chief Appeals Against Inclusion in South African Union

LONDON, Jan. 9 (CP).—From a native chief in Bechuanaland, South Africa, came a remarkable appeal today to "the Parliament and people of Great Britain" against the proposal to incorporate Bechuanaland and other British native protectorates into the Union of South Africa.

The petitioner is none other than Chief Tshekedi, who, in 1933, was suspended after having a white man flogged, but subsequently was reinstated, after an appeal to the King. Tshekedi thinks Bechuanaland is better off under control of the Colonial Office than it would be as part of the Union of South Africa.

ASKS FOR COMMISSION

He asks for an impartial commission before which the tribes could state their case against removal from direct control of the Crown. It is an outcome of the movement in the Union for inclusion of Bechuanaland, Basutoland and Swaziland protectorates into the Union.

Chief Tshekedi expresses lack of confidence in the Union Government's ability to administer the protectorates and apprehension over the union's alleged unsympathetic attitude towards natives, which he thinks would be manifested in the protectorates.

VANCOUVER BANS SLOT MACHINES

By-Law Prohibits Operation of "Marble Games" Under General Ban—Small Store Affected

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—A by-law prohibiting operation of "marble game" slot machines in Vancouver was passed by the City Council today.

Under the new ordinance, effective immediately, the city reverses its old policy of licensing the machines. They are now banned altogether. In the past they were licensed for a fee of $25 for an owner's first machine and two dollars for each additional. Last year 919 were licensed.

J. D. McPhee, barrister representing a number of machine owners, said prohibition of their operation would mean that a number of small stores would have to close and their owners possibly go on relief.

New Precedent in Musical Arts Work Now Established

Ambitious Programme, Featuring Concertos for Three Pianos and Orchestra, Heard by Big Audience at Empress Last Night

THE Victoria Musical Arts Society established a new precedent last evening, when it ventured into the field of three-piano music with orchestra. Not only enterprise, but confidence in the quality of the talent available among the city's younger musicians was shown in the sponsoring of such an ambitious programme.

It must have been distinctly gratifying and encouraging to the president and convener, Mrs. C. S. Beals, and to the artists themselves that the effort received such enthusiastic support from the public. The Empress ballroom was filled with a keenly interested and delighted audience. Such an effort should do much to raise the whole standard of club programmes, particularly in respect of instrumental ensemble music.

SPECIAL NUMBERS

The special numbers were, of course, the Bach Concerto in D Minor, for three pianos and strings, and the Mozart Concerto in F Major, for three pianos and orchestra. Both belong to the classical school; both are works of serious intent, but they are sufficiently different to make a very nice contrast as the opening and closing numbers of such a well-arranged programme.

In each instance Smyth Humphreys, A.R.A.M., was the conductor. His manner of handling his material merits all praise, as he succeeded in striking a happy mean between over-assertiveness and too much diffidence on the part of the strings and wind instruments, gave the pianos the dominant position when this rightly belonged to them, and at the same time his orchestra was always ready to swing into the major role when required. He conducts with authority, yet persuasively, and there was real confidence and beauty in the orchestral effects.

SIX PIANISTS

The pianists, too, were equal to the demands. Each of the concertos had its own trio of pianists. The Misses Maquinna Daniels, Evelyn Harper and Elsie Friend played the pianos in the Bach work, and Dorothy Morton Gough, Helen Ockenden and Catherine Craig in the Mozart work. In each instance they played with the assurance and unshakable confidence of veterans. The entire performance of the Bach showed admirable rehearsal, with a surprising degree of cohesion, great clarity, fine balance and mutual understanding. The first and second movements (allegro moderato and Alla Siciliano) were particularly pleasing.

The Mozart work, in a slightly more brilliant, slightly more romantic style, than the chiselled Bach music, also showed the same careful preparation, and, if anything, a little more spontaneity, freedom and confidence, although without any lessening of attention to technical detail. The allegro was taken very confidently, and in the adagio, where the pianos play the more prominent part, the orchestra quite naturally falls back into secondary place. The melodic line was well preserved throughout.

TWO VIOLINS

The club is also trying to foster the playing of two-violin music, and the Bach concerto for two violins, taken by Fay Ockenden and Leslie Jordan, with Helen Ockenden at the piano, fitted well into the programme. The vivace movement was played energetically, and had good firm tone, with briskness of attack and nice clean phrasing. The largo ma non troppo movement, in definitely pensive mood, also had very nice feeling and treatment. Both these young players have good intonation and musical sensitiveness.

The remainder of the programme was entrusted to two singers: Miss Phyllis Deaville, who, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Warn, showed the clear, youthful quality of her voice in a much-enjoyed interpretation of Mozart's "Ah! Lo So," followed, as an encore, by the Mozart motet, "Alleluia," the florid passages of which were most facilely sung. A welcome new singer on the concert platform was Alva Wetherell, a bass baritone, who showed a fine voice of ample proportion, well schooled, and of eloquent sincerity of expression, in his four ambitious numbers: Lully's "Bois Epais" (sung in French), Secchi's "Love Me or Not," the great Handelian "Hear Me, Ye Winds and Waves," and the dramatic "Dward, of Oewe," both technically and emotionally a great achievement. Miss Eileen Dumbleton accompanied admirably.

The Musical Arts Society is greatly indebted to the Victoria Public Library for the music for the Bach and Mozart concertos used during rehearsals and at the concert last night.

THIRTEEN DROWNED AS TRAWLER SINKS

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The Edgar Wallace was due back from the North Sea fishing grounds on Monday, but was delayed by fog, reaching the mouth of the Humber today. According to Willcox, the trawler struck a sandbank three-quarters of a mile off Hessle Sh dock. She freed herself from this, only to strike a second sandbank. Both the Goole and the William Cash launched boats in efforts to save the crew.

DISTRESS AND HARDSHIP

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP). — Bitter Winter weather gripped many parts of Europe today, bringing distress to shipping, paralyzing communications and visiting acute hardship on the poor.

Five men were believed to have perished when a small boat sank amid grinding ice in the Danube River at Ada Huja Island, near Belgrade.

Railroad and telegraph traffic throughout Jugoslavia was tied up by a thirty-hour blizzard and communication with the Dalmatian coast virtually severed.

Similar conditions prevailed in Hungary and Austria, where ten inches of snow fell in twenty-four hours. More than 22,000 workers, including many women, found employment digging Vienna out from beneath its icy blanket.

BLACK SEA HURRICANE

A hurricane which swept the Black Sea for three days left many vessels in distress.

Temperatures in the Donetz Basin of Russia fell to 31 degrees below zero Fahrenheit. Locomotives were reported frozen. The bitter cold forced suspension of operations in the Azneft oil field, near Baku.

A heavy blanket of fog which settled down over Southern England tonight grew steadily worse as time went on. Two air liners from the Continent were forced down before they reached their destination, the Croydon airport. Motorists in Northern Great Britain and Wales experienced great difficulty in snowstorms.

COLD ON RIVIERA

Even the French Riviera, where tourists seek refuge from Winter's rigors, suffered from piercing cold winds, accompanied by a light snowfall.

Twenty-degrees-below-zero temperatures were recorded in Poland, where solitary travelers were reported to have been attacked by hungry wolves.

PLANE CRASHES AND KILLS FIFTEEN MEN

KARACHI, India, Jan. 9 (AP).—A Royal Air Force plane crashed in the midst of troops participating in manoeuvres, near the Hubb River, killing fifteen Indian soldiers, it was officially announced last night. Eleven persons were injured, among them the pilot, Flying Officers H. C. Sircar, and his observer.

ARMED BANDITS ROB DRUG STORE

Raid Follows Unsuccessful Attempt to Steal From Coal Company Office

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—A few minutes after an unsuccessful attempt to rob the office of the Canmore Coal Company, at the foot of Smythe Street, two armed bandits held up a drug store clerk a few blocks away and escaped with $10 in cash, police reported tonight.

Two men entered the coal company's office and held up four employees, one of whom, H. Walker, was ordered to open the safe. When Walker protested that he did not know the combination the bandits fled to a waiting car.

Fifteen minutes later a pair of armed and masked gunmen, said by police to be the same two, walked into the Stanley Park Pharmacy and, before H. Gibb, clerk, could reach the burglar alarm, forced him into a corner. While one stood guard the other bandit scooped $10 from the cash register. The two then escaped in an automobile, which was later found to have been stolen from in front of a taxi office on Main Street.

JAFSIE POSITIVE HAUPTMANN IS JOHN

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"'John' is Bruno Richard Hauptmann!"

Nor did his story falter as he told of the eerie cemetery trysts that finally led him to put $50,000 in the hands of the furtive "John"—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's ransom for the baby already slain.

Not even at the height of Reilly's relentless questions, pointed patently at the question of Condon's own good faith in the case, did he waver.

Tomorrow, Dr. Condon faces more searching queries from the carpenter's defender, on Reilly's own prediction that the cross-examination will consume a day and a half.

"Jafsie" told his story of the arrangements for the ransom, of his first tryst with "John" in Woodlawn Cemetery, the Bronx, soon after the kidnapping; how he arranged to have the child's sleeping suit sent to him as proof that "John's" supposed superior had the baby.

IN ANOTHER CEMETERY

Then he carried the moving narrative to St. Raymond's Cemetery, also in the Bronx, where, on the night of April 2, 1932, he handed "John" the wooden box containing the ransom.

He described the way "John" accepted the money box; his voice and actions, and the later fruitless search by Col. Lindbergh along the New England coast in quest of the "boat Nellie," where "John" had said the baby would be found alive and well.

In all, Dr. Condon named Hauptmann three times as "John."

And in his direct examination by Attorney-General Wilentz he revealed publicly for the first time that he had seen "John" last August walking in the Bronx.

"One evening at the corner of Williamsbridge Road and Pelham Parkway," Dr. Condon said, "I saw him walk over in the direction of what I found to be his home after. I did not pursue him, owing to the fact he got into the woods which is there. You have to see that to understand what I mean."

Wilentz led Dr. Condon quickly to the payment of the ransom as he started his story.

"Did you give some money in a box that night?" Wilentz asked when the testimony reached the point of the visit to St. Raymond's Cemetery.

"I did."

Q. And who did you give that money to? A. John.

"WHO IS JOHN?"

"Who is John?" asked Wilentz.

He looked at Wilentz and, shaking his finger vigorously, he said:

"John is Bruno Richard Hauptmann."

Col. Lindbergh had his eyes fixed on the teacher as Condon turned to gaze reprovingly at Hauptmann. The defendant straightened, turned pale, then flushed.

Reilly hammered away at Dr. Condon's identification of Hauptmann.

"When Bruno Richard Hauptmann was on trial for extradition only two or three months ago in October, in the Bronx, and you, with the secret locked in your heart—you were not called, were you?" the defence chief demanded.

"Only by the jury—under—under—"

Q. I am talking about that proceeding—were you called? A. No.

Q. And that proceeding was after you saw Bruno Richard Hauptmann in Greenwich Street and Centre Street (New York police headquarters)? A. To the best of my recollection, yes.

One tense point of the cross-examination came when Reilly demanded to know if "Jafsie" had signed for a book on symbols at the New York Public Library, shortly before the kidnapping of March 1, 1932.

WILL PRODUCE CARD

Wilentz objected strenuously, and then promised to produce the library card, although, he said, it had nothing to do with the case.

Cryptic, circular symbols appeared on the ransom notes sent to Condon and the Lindberghs.

Reilly finally had the doctor write "John Francis Condon" on a pad after "Jafsie" had protested testily that "John Condon is not my name."

Dr. Condon also told Reilly he first entered the case to rescue from suspicion "Arthur Johnson," whom he regarded as innocent.

Apparently he referred to Henry ("Red") Johnson, the sailor friend of Betty Gow, Lindbergh nurse. Johnson was questioned for a time in connection with the kidnapping investigation and was deported to his native Norway.

Reilly demanded the withdrawal of a juror and a mistrial after Wilentz, interrupting Reilly's examination of Dr. Condon on a conversation Reilly said the teacher held with a Taunton, Mass., druggist, offered to present to the court "an unsolicited letter" in explanation of Condon's visit.

Dr. Condon had denied he ever told the druggist that "John" was not Hauptmann.

"Now I object to this. I object to it," Reilly protested. "If it keeps on, I will make a motion for the withdrawal of a juror."

JURORS ADMONISHED

The motion was denied, but Justice Trenchard admonished the jurors to pay no attention to what Wilentz had said about the letter.

On the night of April 2, Dr. Condon testified, as he started his story, he and Col. Lindbergh drove in the automobile of Al Reich, Condon's friend and former heavyweight pugilist, to a spot in the Bronx, known as "Bergen's Floral Station."

There, Jafsie said, he had been directed to look under a table, and "I would find a stone there, and, finding the stone there, that there would be a note under that stone."

With the directions in his possession, Jafsie said, they drove down Whittemore Avenue. Wilentz directed him to his first identification of Hauptmann as "John," the man he met that night.

Then he had him identify an envelope, dated March 9, 1932, postmarked New York, authorizing him to act as go-between in the Lindbergh case, if he were willing to follow instructions. The note was read to the jury, and a moment later, Wilentz read one sent to Colonel Lindbergh, stating that Condon could act as intermediary, and instructing the flyer to give him $70,000 in one package, to be put in a small wooden box of the dimensions named in the latter.

These messages had been sent, it was elicited, as a result of the advertisement which Dr. Condon placed in The Bronx Home News, asking the kidnapper to communicate with him and offering him $1,000.

DESCRIBES HIS TRIP

He then described his trip to the Lindbergh estate at Hopewell, where he met the flyer and Colonel Henry Breckinridge and one or two officials.

He stayed in Hopewell that night, sleeping in the nursery from which the baby was stolen after Lindbergh himself prepared his quarters.

As a result of his conference with Colonel Lindbergh, an advertisement was inserted in another New York newspaper by "Jafsie," announcing that he accepted the offer to act as intermediary, and that the money was ready.

Then the elderly witness was led skilfully through the preliminary conferences with "John" in Woodlawn Cemetery, through more details of the ransom payment itself and to the futile search for the baby.

He told how the coughing "John" described himself as "only a go-between" and refused to take Dr. Condon to "the leader," who, he said, "would smack me up."

At one point he quoted "John" as saying:

"Nobody else shall get the baby but you, and you can put that baby's arms around Mrs. Lindbergh's neck."

But the baby already was dead—its body in a shallow grave, near the Sourland home from which he was stolen.

GIVES MINUTE DETAILS

Dr. Condon related minute details of his visit to Woodlawn Cemetery in March of 1932. He got there by following directions contained in a note found under a stone at an abandoned frankfurter stand in the Bronx. Another note, delivered to his home, sent him to the stand.

From behind the cemetery gate, Dr. Condon said, someone waved a white handkerchief at him. He responded, "I see you."

Q.—Who was the man you spoke to then between the gates? A.—John, as given to me by himself.

Q.—And who is John? A.—John is Bruno Richard Hauptmann.

Q.—All right. Now what did Mr. Hauptmann say to you there three feet away from you with the gates between you? A.—He said, "Did you get it, the money?"

Q.—Yes, and what did you say, sir? A.—I said, "No, I couldn't bring the money until I saw the package."

Dr. Condon said that about that time he heard a rustle inside the gates, and the man suddenly began climbing the vertical bars of the gate "in what I call 'Turner' fashion." The man jumped down to the outside, landing near Jafsie.

STARTED TO RUN

He asked Dr. Condon if he had sent the police, and Condon told him "I wouldn't do that." The man then said it was "too dangerous" and started to run away.

"I said, hey, come back here. Don't be cowardly." Dr. Condon testified. "'Here I am a poor school teacher up here in the cemetery and you leaving me here to be drilled.'"

"Then what happened?" urged Wilentz.

The witness said he yelled after the man, "You are my guest," but the man kept on running, and he followed to a little clump of trees near a shack on the opposite side of the street.

"I got a hold of his arm and said, 'Hey, you mustn't do anything like that; you are my guest'."

Then he invited the man to sit down, and for more than an hour they sat there on a park bench and talked.

The man in the cemetery said to Condon, "It is too dangerous. Might be twenty years or burn. Would I burn if the baby is dead?"

"Not if you did not have some part in it," Dr. Condon said he told "John."

He had spoken to him of his mother, what she would think of the kidnapping.

"And he said, 'My mother wouldn't like it; she would cry,' just like that, as nearly as I can imitate it. I am not a good mimic," he said in a serious voice.

THOUSAND TO QUIT

Dr. Condon told "John" to "leave that stuff" and come with him. He told the man he had $1,000 available for him if he would quit.

"We don't want your money," the man replied.

"'There are a number of lawyers in my family, and, if it is within the law, I will get one to go with you to the last degree, but if you fall me'."—Dr. Condon leaned forward and shook his finger to illustrate the emphasis of his remark—"'I would follow you to Australia'."

"We were prepared a year before to do this," he told Dr. Condon. The teacher told him to be fair and square, to be afraid of nothing, to take down the lapels of his coat which he had turned up over his chin.

"And then he coughed. It was what they call a hollow cough. I don't want to imitate that."

Q. It was a cough? A. He coughed, I said.

"The inroads of pulmonary disease—seem to start. Let me go over and get you some medicine. I will do anything I can to straighten this matter out, anything. I will go as hostage to the man that has the baby."

He pleaded with "John" to be taken to the baby.

"Please give me a chance," he said he told the man. "I promised Colonel Lindbergh and Mrs. Lindbergh to help them get their baby. That is what I am out for."

"The man said, 'Nobody else shall ever get the baby but you, and you can put that baby's arms around Mrs. Lindbergh's neck.'"

HE BELIEVED HIM

"And I believed him," Jafsie said simply.

The man said the baby was on a boat to the north and that Colonel Lindbergh could get his plane and fly there. His long meeting with the man finally drew to a close.

"I did not get to see the child," Dr. Condon said. "He said they wouldn't even propose it, that they would drill him. I said, 'Well, you mustn't be afraid of anything like that, do what you think is right, while you have got time, for your mother's sake'."

Dr. Condon explained that the man's enunciation was Germanic.

"'I will send you the slipping suit of the baby.'" Condon testified the man said. "'Tell Colonel Lindbergh and Mrs. Lindbergh not to worry, that the baby is all right.'

"Then you will send to me the baby's sleeping suit?"

"'Yes. I waited too long already.'"

Q. Who said that? A. John.

The man repeated that he would send the sleeping suit, and "we shook hands and parted."

Four days later the baby's sleeping suit and a letter arrived at Condon's home. On the night of April 2, Dr. Condon and Colonel Lindbergh started for St. Raymond's Cemetery, the Bronx.

While he stood there, the witness testified, he heard someone call in a loud, clear voice, "Hey, doctor, over here."

SPOKE THROUGH HEDGE

Condon said, "All right" to the man, and the man, who was on the other side of a hedge, said, "Have you got it, the money?"

Dr. Condon said to the man that he did not have the money, that it was in the car. He told him Colonel Lindbergh had it.

"Is he armed?" the man asked Jafsie. The educationist said at first he didn't know, then he said the colonel was not armed.

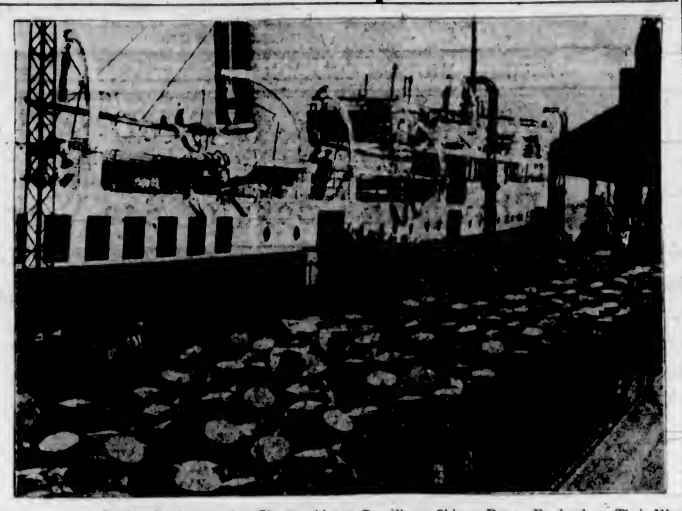
He returned to the car, got the money box with $50,000 in it, and went back to the hedge.

Q. And the man that you handed that money to was John, you say? A. Yes, John.

Q. And John is who? A. John is Bruno Rudolph—or Bruno Richard Hauptmann.

He did not explain the "Rudolph."

British Troops Off to Saar Valley



Troops of Two British Regiments Are Shown, Above, Boarding a Ship at Dover, England, on Their Way to Police Duty in the Saar Valley. Residents of the Saar Will Vote on Sunday to Decide Whether They Will Go Under French, German or League of Nations Rule.

ALTER HOTELS SINCE REPEAL

American Hostel Keepers Have to Learn Business All Over Again

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (UP).—American hotelmen are being forced to go back to first principles and learn their business all over again. And they are enjoying the experience.

These admissions are made with no reluctance whatever by M. Max Malamut, owner of the Ritz-Carlton. M. Malamut can speak authoritatively for the resort and luxury hotel fraternity, most of whose members, like himself, were trained in the leisurely and expansive Continental school and subjected to grievous indignities by the barbaric phenomena of the late arid era.

THE FIRST LESSON

"The first lesson we are relearning," M. Malamut confesses, "is how to operate well-patronized dining rooms. During prohibition, the hotel waiter was the forgotten man. He stood like a spectre in a vast echoing emptiness, an anachronism, a has-been. After repeal, when patrons returned somewhat sheepishly to the dining rooms of the hotels, some of the most experienced waiters suffered from stage fright. They had forgotten how to act in the presence of guests."

Bellboys, M. Malamut reports, are again an integral part of the hotel staff, not merely guides and runners for neighboring speakeasies.

OFFICE CHANGES

The type of front-office man is also changing perceptibly. During the thirteen-year dry spell the value of a clerk was gauged to some extent by his knowledge of outside entertainment facilities. Today, managers seek to employ clerks who possess at least a casual interest in the entertainment, services and special facilities available within the walls of the hotel.

It is not uncommon now for guests to have a nodding acquaintance with their next-door neighbors.

Hotelmen are wary of saying that times are better. M. Malamut, however, does go so far as to say that reunions of former guests who have not seen each other in thirteen or fourteen years are not uncommon.

RATE BARGAINS

A tendency is noted among vacationers to be a trifle more brazen about bargaining for small advantages in rate. In the early days of M. Malamut's hotel-keeping it was regarded as not quite genteel to haggle over money. Nowadays, the boniface is more flattered than indignant when a guest shows himself to be a shrewd shopper.

Writing rooms and lounges are inhabited today by a much larger proportion of paying guests than formerly. The hotel is becoming again an entity rather than merely a stopping-off place.

Bookings are up, prices are fairly well maintained and hotel keepers are rapidly becoming accustomed to running hotels, as distinguished from room renting departments.

About the only figure that remains constant in the hotel trade over the years is the loss of hotel property traceable to the activities of what M. Malamut describes as "collectors" of linen, towels and silver.

WILL IMPROVE BUS SERVICE

School Board Economies Force Eighteen Students to Remain at Home

As a direct result of recent economies instituted by the Saanich School Board, eighteen school children in the Cadboro Bay district were compelled to remain home from school yesterday morning owing to the inadequacy of transportation.

The school board instructed the Vancouver Island Coach Lines to cut off one of the busses, which in the past had taken children from Cadboro Bay to the Cedar Hill school, it was reported at a protest meeting held in Cadboro Bay last night. This saved the school board, it was stated, $110 a month.

LARGER BUS

Councillor G. A. Vantreight, during the course of the protest meeting, got in touch with transportation company officials who, when informed of the situation, stated they would send a larger bus this morning, capable of accommodating thirty-five adults, and a 40 per cent overload. This, it was felt by the transportation company, would meet the immediate needs of the students.

However, considerable resentment was felt by the parents, who, up to recently, had been assured of the support of the school board in the application for a school in the Cadboro Bay district. The school board, however, notified the residents in a letter, read by William Inglis, that the school would not be established due to a reduction in the number of students now attending school.

This decrease, it was disclosed, was due chiefly to sickness that was prevalent among the children, and the fact that some of the parents were sending their children to private schools, being dissatisfied with the transportation arrangements by the school board.

TWO MOTIONS

The meeting passed two resolutions. One generally protesting the inadequate transportation, and the other asking that the police supervise the loading of the school bus today to make sure there was no overloading. A committee of three also was appointed to see that the police carried out the supervision.

Tonight a large deputation will go from Cadboro Bay to the Ward Three nominating meeting to be held in Gordon Head Hall when candidates in the forthcoming election campaign will be chosen. The question of a new school will be brought up at this meeting by the deputation, which also will urge that a delegation be sent to the Minister of Education.

One Killed When Car Strikes Bank

LONGVIEW, Wash., Jan. 9 (AP). Walter Eyers, about sixty, of Seattle, was killed, and his wife and Mr. and Mrs. John Fortune, also of Seattle, were injured, late today, when a car driven by Fortune crashed into a bank while rounding a sharp curve on the Pacific Highway, south of Kalama.

Indian Forecast Is Paleface Art

BANFF, Alta.—Accuracy of long-range Indian weather forecasting, previously thought almost infallible, went down a peg in the estimation of citizens here when an old chief admitted he got his information from a white man.

"White man tellum me," he said. "Had pow-wow with George Fear. He oldtimer and he tellum me."

TRADE AGREEMENT SIGNED

LONDON, Jan. 9 (CP-Havas). — An Anglo-Indian trade agreement, complementing the Ottawa intra-Empire pacts of 1933, was signed this afternoon at the board of trade. Its text will be published tomorrow.

CANDIDATES ARE AGAIN SELECTED

Esquimalt Ratepayers Reaffirm Support of F. G. Eaton and H. Hodgson for Council

Members of the Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association, last night at a special meeting at the Municipal Hall, reaffirmed their support of F. G. Eaton, 876 Wollaston Street, and Harry Hodgson, 1178 Esquimalt Road, as candidates for the municipal council, and nominated George Kinch, 1596 Carden Street, aspirant for the police board.

Reeve Alexander Lockley and Councillor Albert Heald received endorsement by acclamation at the December meeting of the association, for re-election to their respective offices. Major George Sisman, 1074 Munro Street, and R. J. Stewart, 618 Nelson Street, were chosen candidates for school board.

At that time, candidates for the municipal council and police board were also chosen. However, it was later found the balloting was irregular, as persons not members of the association had cast ballots at that time.

PRESS FOR ECONOMY

Bishop G. E. Lloyd, president, reminded candidates that the association would expect them, if elected to office in any of the three bodies, to press for economy in an effort to lower taxation. It was hoped by the Bishop that the mill rate could thus be lowered by six mills. He also charged the aspirants with the duty of urging the lowering of estimates.

The president further said that he was of the opinion that all resolutions regarding finances which were introduced to the municipal council should be read aloud for the benefit of all councillors and any ratepayers present at the meeting.

Prior to the adjournment of the meeting there was considerable discussion pertaining to alleged high assessments on property and reported inequality of assessments.

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Seeking Right to Take Murder Case To Federal Court

Attorney-General's Department Here to Petition Supreme Court of Canada for Leave to Appeal Against Appeal Court's Award Giving Canford Reserve Indians a New Trial

APPLICATION for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada, the Dominion's highest legal tribunal, against the judgment of the Appeal Court of British Columbia which granted a new trial to Alex, Eneas and Richardson George, Indians, convicted of the murder of Constable F. H. Gisborne, is to be made by the Provincial Attorney-General's Department, it was learned here last night.

The decision for leave to appeal was announced by J. R. Nicholson, Crown counsel, and later confirmed by Hon. Gordon M. Sloan, Attorney-General. The application is the first legal step in what promises to be one of the keenest legal battles in the province in several years. Stuart Henderson, veteran criminal lawyer, who won his case before the British Columbia Court of Appeal, will likely oppose Mr. Nicholson at the Ottawa hearing.

CONVICTED AT VERNON

The George brothers, natives of the Canford Reserve, were convicted on June 30 at the Vernon Assizes of the Supreme Court of British Columbia and sentenced to the death penalty for the slaying of Constable Gisbourne at the reserve last May. Developments, subsequent to the trial at Vernon, caused the defence to carry the case to the Appeal Court, which permitted the hearing of new evidence from Joseph George, one of the brothers, who had regained his hearing after the Vernon hearing. Upon this evidence and other minor matters the Court of Appeal decided there should be a new trial, and it was so ordered.

MAKES NEW MOTION

Before the Appeal Court here yesterday, Mr. Nicholson, for the Crown, moved to have the court vary its judgment of December 12 and allow the conviction and sentence of the lower court to stand. The motion was based mainly on technical grounds, and the court decided there should not be any interference with the original judgment to grant a new trial to the Indians.

In view of the decision to apply for leave to appeal against the December 12 judgment, the Attorney-General's Department will not pursue yesterday's motion further, it was intimated by the Crown.

The contention of Mr. Nicholson, at the hearing yesterday, was that in reviewing the judgments and the reasons given for these, there was not a majority of the court in line with the judgment given, but rather for a dismissal of the appeal. He argued that there should, in practice, be one judgment of the court in a matter of this kind, and any members of the court were open to express their dissent with that judgment. On the grounds for reaching a decision, he argued that in the reasons given, three members of the court differed from the position taken by the chief justice, so that there was in reality a majority of the court in support of the position of the Crown.

POINTS TO DECIDE

The code and amending acts were quoted to show that the grounds for ordering a new trial were set out as (a) that the evidence was insufficient, or (b) that there had been a wrong conception of the law, or (c) a miscarriage of justice.

The position taken by Mr. Nicholson was that there should, of necessity, be a decision of a majority of the court that on one of these grounds there had been an error at the trial or there was no right to grant a new trial. This had not been done.

Early in the proceedings, Mr. Justice McPhillips expressed surprise at the course taken. The chief justice also described the course as an ingenious argument to advance. Mr. Justice Martin said that the suggested line of action as given was one that had been got away from long ago.

The chief justice held there was nothing to show that the decisions should be based of necessity on one line, in order to reach a conclusion there should be a new trial.

Stuart Henderson, for the prisoners, agreed with the position of the chief justice, and said that the point of there being a miscarriage of justice was a cumulative expression and carried with it the other points mentioned in the act.

SUPPORTS DECISION

In deciding, the chief justice said that he felt there was nothing in the statute which debarred the court from saying there should be a new trial. The court decided that there should be a new trial, and there was no ground for interfering with that decision. While there might be a technical ground, as suggested, yet he felt that the execution of these men should not depend upon a technical point in which there was room for difference of opinion.

Mr. Justice Martin said that, if it were felt that there had been a miscarriage of justice on any grounds, an appeal could be allowed. This was his interpretation of the act. He suggested that the statute might be worded differently.

Mr. Justice McPhillips did not feel like discussing the motion. The only appeal from the decision of the Court of Appeal now lay to the Supreme Court of Canada.

Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald, while he dissented from the judgment of the majority of the court, agreed that the decision of the majority having been that there was a miscarriage of justice, the judgment should stand. There was the power to order a new trial, he felt.

Mr. Justice McQuarrie agreed there might be something in the point that was raised by Mr. Nicholson, and he hoped there might be a reference to the Supreme Court of Canada to decide it.

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Sydney Welcomes Duke of Gloucester

The Duke of Gloucester, Third Son of the Monarchs of Great Britain, Is Seen Here (Right) Receiving From the Hands of Lord Mayor Parker of Sydney, Australia, an Inscribed Address of Loyalty and Welcome on the Occasion of His Recent Visit to the Antipodean Metropolis.

DEATH TAKES NEWS WRITER

George Denny, Formerly of Victoria, Had Notable Career as Reporter

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9. — George Denny, an Associated Press staff member for more than thirty years, during which he worked throughout the Orient and as a correspondent in the Russo-Japanese War, died here last night.

Ill for several months, the veteran newspaperman, who was about sixty-five years old, suffered a relapse recently from a heart ailment and was unable to regain his health.

Mr. Denny went with the Russian Army in Manchuria as correspondent for the Associated Press. He has worked as a staff member in the bureaus at Peking, Moscow, London and Tokio, where he was stationed during the earthquake of 1924.

From Tokio he came to San Francisco, and after service in the Associated Press bureaus here, retired about five years ago.

REPORTER IN VICTORIA

George Denny was born in Victoria, son of William Denny who, at that time, was prominently identified with the business life of the community. He was educated in local schools and Santa Clara College, California. He entered into newspaper work in his teens, eventually becoming a reporter on The Victoria Daily Times and later city editor.

It is interesting to recall that one of Mr. Denny's associates on the reportorial staff of The Times was Martin J. Egan, who afterwards became prominent in newspaper circles in the United States and now holds a high post in the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., New York.

Mr. Denny went from The Times to The Colonist, where he became city editor. Meanwhile, Mr. Egan had left the city for newspaper work across the border, ultimately becoming a member of the staff of the Associated Press—the great co-operative news-gathering organization which operates all over the world.

JOINED ASSOCIATED PRESS

About thirty-five years ago, Mr. Denny followed Mr. Egan to the Associated Press, becoming one of the editors of the New York bureau. In 1904, when relations between Japan and Russia became threatening, Mr. Denny was transferred to the Far East, going first to Japan and then to Port Arthur. Mr. Denny managed to get to Chefu later, from where he sent the first news to the world of the opening of hostilities between the two nations. It was a "scoop" of the first magnitude. In Japan there were fifty foreign press correspondents, blissfully unaware of what was happening at Port Arthur.

IN MANCHURIA CAMPAIGN

Subsequently, Mr. Denny was ordered to join the Russian Army, and proceeded northward by a tortuous route until he established contact with the forces under General Kuropatkin. He saw and reported the various battles which marked the Manchurian campaign. From the battleground in Manchuria he was transferred to St. Petersburg, where he witnessed the abortive revolution led by Father Gapon, and also at Moscow and Odessa during that turbulent time, he represented the Associated Press with exceptional ability.

In 1905, Mr. Denny was transferred to the Associated Press bureau in London, where he remained for fifteen years. In his capacity there he came into close association with virtually every eminent leader in British life. He was the confidant of statesmen, who trusted him implicity and with very good reason, for he never was known to violate a confidence. It is doubtful if any journalist from this continent knew intimately so many outstanding figures in Great Britain in the last quarter of a century as Mr. Denny, for, apart from his own fine qualities of mind and person, the Associated Press always has enjoyed in an unusual degree the confidence of not only the British Government but also British newspaperdom.

Mr. Denny knew the inside stories of all the big international developments, particularly those which arose from the Great War, and if, like so many others, he had chosen to write his memoirs, he could have produced an interesting and illuminating volume. But he preferred to remain a journalist without outside distractions, and to give without reserve all that he had to the great service with which he had been connected so long.

IN TOKIO DISASTER

After the war, Mr. Denny was transferred to Tokio, and was there in 1923 when the great earthquake and tidal wave levied a heavy toll on lives and property of the Japanese people. The strain of his service there was so great that it impaired his health, and he went to the San Francisco bureau of the Associated Press. A few years ago, he retired on superannuation and resided in the Bay City at the time of his death, occasionally visiting Victoria and renewing old acquaintances.

He leaves his mother and one sister, Miss Nelly Denny, both residing in this city; one sister, Mrs. Bailey, in Port Townsend, Wash.; two sisters, Mrs. Nora Pengelley and Mrs. Gordon, in Vancouver, and one brother, James Denny, also of Vancouver. His wife predeceased him a few years ago.

IS OPTIMISTIC IN PREDICTIONS

Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co. Executive Reviews His Business

"We attribute our high 1934 sales record to two factors," said C. R. Vint, vice-president of the Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Company, Limited, when interviewed yesterday.

"First, our early decision in 1934 that no nationally sold and advertised product could hope to have increased sales, unless it provided a guaranteed profit for the dealer. Second, our steady, constructive publication advertising.

FAIR PRICE

"In order to effect a guaranteed profit for the dealer it was necessary to price our products high enough to give the dealer a good return for his investment—yet low enough so that the public, who are our customers, could afford to buy. After a good deal of research work, we arrived at prices which solved these two poblems.

"When these new arrangements were made known to the trade, the results were instantaneous and extremely gratifying. We have a great many letters of appreciation from our dealers in our files. The public, too, showed its appreciation of our price reductions by purchasing our porducts. Our sales curve showed a steady upgrade for the year.

"Our advertising, too, has played no mean part in placing us in our present strong position. All through the depression our products were advertised extensively and with great frequency. We believed that it was necessary to keep our products continually before the public even when buying power was at a low ebb, so that when people were able to purchase, they would remember us. This reasoning has been justified to the fullest extent.

PLANS FOR 1935

"Our advertising plans for 1935 have now been completed. Practically every daily newspaper in the Dominion will be used to form the backbone of our campaign. We believe newspaper advertising is the best method of reaching the great majority of people to whom we wish to sell. Newspaper advertising, too, stimulates our dealers to greater efforts.

"We look forward in the hope and belief that 1935 will be one of our most successful years," he concluded.

Kingsford-Smith Sails for Home

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9 (AP).—Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, trans-Pacific flier, sailed for his home in Australia from here yesterday aboard the liner Monterey.

Sir Charles, who recently crossed the Pacific for the second time by air, when he flew from Australia to Oakland, said he had no immediate plans.

Help Kidneys

If Kidney Trouble or Bladder Weakness makes you suffer from Getting Up Nights, Nervousness, Dizziness, Rheumatism, Stiffness, Burning, Smarting, Backache or Acidity, try the doctor's prescription Cystex (Sistex). Must end your troubles in eight days or money back. Only 75c at druggists. (Advt.)

One-Man Strike Ties Up Project

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 9 (CP).—A one-man strike has tied up a $260,000 project for the construction of a viaduct. The man, a hoisting engineer, was called off the job by his union, which objected to the use of gravel from a company which, it said, does not employ union labor.

VETERAN MUSICIAN DIES

CHARLOTTETOWN, Jan. 9 (CP).—Samuel N. Earle, eighty-nine, veteran concert master and musician, died here Monday night. He was born in St. John's, Nfld. For more than half a century he was organist of St. Paul's Anglican Church here. Ernest A. Earle, Vancouver, is a son.

INQUIRY ON NEW PHASE

Affairs of Four Big Farm Implement Companies Being Probed

OTTAWA, Jan. 9 (CP).—Only one of the four big farm implement companies of Canada had suffered severe financial losses through the depression at the end of 1933, the Royal Commission on Mass Buying learned today from Walter Gordon, Toronto auditor.

Starting the last of its major investigations, the commission was told that Massey-Harris Company, Ltd., rolled up a deficit of $15,993,000 in the years 1931, 1932 and 1933, while accumulated surpluses took care of the losses of the other three big companies, International Harvester Company of Canada, Cockshutt Plow Company, Ltd., and Frost & Wood. At the end of 1933, a comparison of the four companies showed Massey-Harris was the only one in the red although all had taken operating losses with the start of the depression.

OTHER PROBES COMPLETED

Today the commission completed the last stages of two investigations, the canning business and the milling and baking industry. The farm implement probe will last the rest of the week but the commission is expected to hear evidence on other subjects until Parliament opens January 17, if not a week later.

W. R. Drynan, general manager of Canadian Canners, Ltd., of Hamilton, left three or four suggestions with the commission designed to help the canning industry. He proposed a fund of $250,000, with contributions from the Dominion Government, canners, can manufacturers and others, to be used for publicity to stimulate a national appetite for tomatoes.

OTHER SUGGESTIONS

In addition, Drynan said his company was willing to draft a new agreement with fruit and vegetable growers and settle difficulties through a joint council and, where possible, pay higher prices. Another of his suggestions was a crop hazard insurance scheme handled by the Dominion, with the canners making contributions. It would be patterned after the wheat insurance of the West.

Because of the maze of detail, the commission made only slight progress today with the farm implement probe. Gordon presented figures to show the four large companies carrying $33,312,000 as accounts receivable and he promised to elaborate this later in his report. Of this sum, Massey-Harris carry $16,972,000 and International Harvester $12,390,000.

THREE HAVE SURPLUSES

The $15,000,000 deficit of Massey-Harris at the end of 1933 was contrasted by Gordon with a surplus of $3,869,000 by the International Harvester, $21,412 by Cockshutt Plow, and $30,427 by Frost & Wood.

Sales of farm implements have fallen drastically in recent years, from $51,974,000 to $9,658,000 in 1933 for the four large companies alone. Their percentage of net profit fell proportionately, leading to the operating losses.

Court of Appeal

Victoria Sittings

Eastman (A.) vs. Pacific Forwarding Co., Ltd. (R.) — Appellant claimed a sum of money on the grounds that respondent had verbally agreed to refund it to him in respect to some whisky alleged to have been sold by respondent to appellant through respondent's agent. It was alleged that the whisky had never been delivered in accordance with the agreement. Evidence was given that the party, by whom the money was alleged to have been paid to respondent, was respondent's agent, and that his duties consisted of getting orders from customers. Respondent denied that the individual in question was the company's agent and that it was under any liability for payment of the amount claimed.

The trial judge held that appellant had failed to prove the allegations upon which his claim was based. There was nothing in the evidence which could be accepted to substantiate the allegation that, at the times material to the issue, any contractural relationship existed between the parties.

The action was dismissed.

The hearing of the appeal is proceeding.

M. Soskin for appellant; Martin Griffin, K.C., and W. F. Brougham for respondent.

PEREMPTORY LIST FOR TODAY

Eastman (A.) vs. Pacific Forwarding Co., Ltd. (R.), at bar.

Bartley & Co., Inc., et al. (A.) vs. Russell (R.)

St. John et al. (A.) vs. Fraser et al. (R.)

Eagles to Greet Nanaimo Official

Arrangements are being made by Victoria Aerie, No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles, for a social evening and reception in honor of the visit, January 20, of President R. Rumming, of the Nanaimo lodge. The entertainment committee is in charge of Fred Cawsey, and A. Pynn is head of the refreshment committee.

At the meeting last night, C. O. Regan was installed as trustee by Past President J. Hughes, assisted by Conductor George Rees.

RAILWAY REVENUES

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—Gross revenues of the Canadian National Railways for the week ending January 7, were $2,436,587, as compared with $2,359,693 for the corresponding period of 1934, an increase of $76,894.

ESTABLISHED 1901
Angus Campbell & Co. Ltd.
DOOR TO GOVERNMENT

GIRLS' FUR-TRIMMED COATS AT REDUCED PRICES
$4.95 $6.95 $8.95

Ladies' Arch-Fitting Shoes!
"Style-Bilt" Footwear in black and brown kid. Cuban rubber heels. Six patterns. Solid comfort for $3.95
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Price on Application
GLAMORGAN FARM
PHONE SIDNEY 65

FEW APPEALS IN CRIMINAL CASES

Those Appearing in Person to Come Before Court of Appeal Next Tuesday

Of the criminal appeals that are to be disposed of at this sitting of the Court of Appeal, one has been dismissed on motion of Henry Hall, K.C., representing the Crown. This is the case of Rex vs. J. M. Omar or Mah Jack Mon. It is a Mainland case in which A. Johnson, who appeared for the appellant, consented to the withdrawal.

In Rex vs. Patry, an appeal from County Court Judge Lennox, W. H. Bullock-Webster asked for the placing of the hearing at the end of the list, which was granted.

Two others who are appearing in person, Schwarzenhauer and York, had the dates for their hearings set for Tuesday, January 15.

WAS BURIED YESTERDAY

The funeral of Mary Jane McLeod, who passed away in this city on Monday, took place on Wednesday afternoon at St. Michael's Church, Royal Oak. Rev. F. Comley conducted the service, during which the hymn, "Abide With Me," was sung. Interment was made in the churchyard, with the following friends as pallbearers: D. Miller, W. Edgecombe, M. B. Wellburn, J. Breadin, R. Margison and R. Caldwell.

Mrs. Sarah Gough Taken by Death At Home in City

Mrs. Sarah Gough, aged seventy-nine years, widow of Edward Gough, passed away yesterday at the home of her son, Edward Gough, 1551 Pearl Street. She was born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and had resided here for twenty-five years. Her husband predeceased her in 1913.

Mrs. Gough is survived by four sons, Ernest, Alfred and Edward, of Victoria, and Walter, of Burlington, Wash.; two daughters, Mrs. S. Pollard, of Victoria, and Mrs. L. Scott, of Carstairs, Alta.; nine grandchildre nand two great grandchildren.

The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, and funeral services will be conducted at St. Alban's Church on Saturday, at 3:30 o'clock, Rev. F. W. Weaver officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GREATER NUMBER OF TOURISTS COME IN

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—An increase of 336 cars and 5,805 passengers occurred during 1934 in the number of tourists entering British Columbia through immigration ports of the Pacific Highway, with 65,345 United States automobiles and 223,515 passengers, the Vancouver Publicity Bureau reported today.

JUST A FEW SIPS AND —
— LIKE A FLASH —
COUGHS & COLDS
— ARE GONE

Unlike slow acting, sickly syrupy preparations, the very first sip of Buckley's gives unmistakable relief. Its lightning fast action astounds everybody, when they take it for the first time. No matter how stubborn your cough, or long standing your cold, Buckley's will stop it QUICK—and it is simply marvellous for bronchitis, 'flu, asthma and whooping cough. For the children, mix with equal parts honey. They'll love it, and it's so safe for children's coughs and colds. Play safe, refuse substitutes. Buckley's is sold everywhere. M4

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Thursday, January 10, 1935

MR. ROOSEVELT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Whatever the New Deal has done in the United States it has failed almost completely to solve the question of unemployment. There are 5,000,000 persons in that country on the relief rolls, and this is despite almost fabulous expenditures on public works and other undertakings. Mr. Roosevelt realizes that he has failed, as he is adopting a more elaborate plan, but one which, after all, is merely an extension of his first device for solving the problem of unemployment. He is inaugurating another vast scheme of public works behind which the credit of the Government is being placed. In explanation of what he is doing the President says: "I am not willing that the vitality of our people should be further sapped. We must preserve not only the bodies of the unemployed from destitution, but also their self-respect, their self-reliance and courage and determination."

Mr. Roosevelt at least realizes that the human reaction to direct relief is a bad one. The reaction to unemployment insurance is bad also, if only in a secondary degree. That does not mean to say that employment through public works is the best remedy for the situation that has developed. Such public works, on a scale devised to absorb 5,000,000 unemployed, are very likely to strain the credit even of a nation as wealthy as the United States. There is, moreover, the possibility that the public works to be undertaken will be uneconomic. Buildings will be erected that are not needed and the tendency will be, in providing surplus accommodation, to enlarge the circle of bureaucracy.

The point is, however, that the United States is embarking on a policy of doing away with direct relief, and the alternative is not unemployment insurance, because, with the situation as it is south of the line, such a scheme could never be put into force on an actuarial basis. The time has not come yet when it will be learned that the real solution of unemployment lies in lifting the restrictions and lightening the burden of taxation on industry and business generally. The economic structure in the United States and in most other countries is groaning under taxation, and the power to provide employment is proportionately confined. One of the crying needs of the times is real, purposeful and permanent economy in the task of government. Instead, however, of pursuing this essential purpose government proceeds from one era of sumptuous legislation to another. It thus enlarges the forces which are tending to make unemployment a permanent condition in the body politic.

SOMETHING FOR NOTHING

The United Farmers of Alberta have had a resolution before their convention whereby they hope to secure the means of propaganda for their political creed through government subsidy. The proposal is that the Alberta Government should tax daily newspapers a sum to be expended in "buying back" space in the newspapers at advertising rates to be divided among the various political parties to publish their own news and propaganda.

The Border Cities Star says that political parties might well secure their Spring suits, their groceries, their motor cars and a hundred other necessities and luxuries in the same way. The fact is that it would be tantamount to asking the newspapers in question to give free space to the lucubrations of politicians, probably absorbing hundreds of columns of type and dwarfing in perspective the actual news happenings. The United Farmers of Alberta have yet to learn that newspapers exist primarily for the purpose of giving their readers the news. Ninety-nine times out of a hundred it is what happens that constitutes the news and not what people say.

A LOVABLE PERSONALITY

The retirement from active service in newspaper work of Mr. E. H. Macklin, General Manager of The Winnipeg Free Press, will be learned of with regret by everyone concerned with the fortunes of the press in Canada. There is no personality in the newspaper life of the Dominion better known and better loved than "Eddie" Macklin, and it may be doubted if there is any executive more efficient in the discharge of his duties, with a broader humanity in his outlook and with a firmer grip on the things that really matter in the upbuilding of a newspaper. The name of Mr. Macklin has been indelibly associated with the fortunes of The Free Press for some thirty-five years past, and he, as much as anyone, made that organ the mouthpiece, as it were, of the Prairie Provinces as well as one of the greatest of the Dominion's newspapers. His success in this particular was due in large measure to his grasp of essentials. Mr. Macklin wastes neither words nor efforts in false directions.

It is, however, as a man replete with human kindness that Mr. Macklin makes his appeal to newspapermen all across the country, and to all those other friends he has attracted during two generations of active and responsible effort. It is his pleasure always to be associating himself with men of his own profession. He finds in them kindred spirits with whom he can converse on the topics that have absorbed his career, whether it is the best way in which a newspaper can be conducted to do the most good or on the state of politics and economics here and in other countries. Mr. Macklin is always a rich exponent of the principle of good fellowship. A prince of entertainers himself, he is always happiest when he is giving pleasure to others and in his relationships it would seem that his motto is that it is more blessed to give than to receive. That is an embarrassment more often than not to those who accept Mr. Macklin's hospitality, but he would not have it otherwise.

Few men who have attained the age reached by Mr. Macklin and have engaged in such a strenuous calling have retained the joie de vivre as vigorously as he has. It is true there are given to him his moments of reflection on the vanity of human wishes, but these are soon swept away by the tide of his interest in all that pertains to the welfare of his fellowmen. There is not a particle of selfishness in his creed. His colleagues on The Free Press are the perennial witnesses to this. The extent to which he now relinquishes his association with those colleagues will be deeply deplored by them all, for, in his great humaneness, he is the ideal employer. The occasion, too, is one in which newspapermen throughout the Dominion will take a pride in paying their tribute to one of the most lovable personalities of the press of the country.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

The annual meeting on Tuesday of the Victorian Order of Nurses tells afresh of the very fine service being given by this organization and its excellent staff of nurses. These young women are the public health nurses of Victoria, the only ones the city has. As Dr. Felton, the city medical health officer, pointed out at Tuesday's meeting, the Victorian Order nurses fully measure up to the standard of public health nursing, which aims to give both bedside care and also instruction and direction in health and illness. More than one-fourth of the 13,500 visits were of a distinctly instructive nature and 115 addresses of an informational sort were given to more than a thousand persons. To this constant educational and preventive work is largely due, according to the testimony of Dr. Menzies of the Provincial Board of Health, the low degree of morbidity in Victoria. For the high standard of health enjoyed here, especially among women and children, a considerable measure of credit must be given to the Victorian Order and its staff.

Public health nursing makes a wide, indeed a practically universal appeal to the interest of the community. These nurses minister to all, regardless of creed, class or color. The Victorian Order women know alike the homes on Rockland Avenue and on lower Johnson Street. More intimately than physician or parson they come into touch with the home life of the people, its skeletons in the closet, its hopes and fears and hardships. Comedy and tragedy walk across the nurses' daily path; they have no need of the stage or the movie to get an idea of life in the raw. If the nurses here were free to tell all they learned during those 13,500 visits of the past year, they could supply a Dickens or a Balzac with material for a lifetime. This intensely intimate contact with life gives them the opportunity for service, demands the highest type of character and should elicit an exceptional response from all classes in the community.

The suggestion made by Dr. Felton that the city should utilize more largely the public health nurses in treating isolation cases is worthy of consideration. Many cities are finding it advantageous both in the interest of health and of economy, to treat such cases as scarlet fever patients in the home, rather than in the isolation hospital. The latter is comparatively expensive. From his own experience he is of the opinion that a special isolation nurse attached to the Victorian Order, might, when an epidemic arose, efficiently deal with the emergency under the direction of the public health authorities.

THE END OF THE ROAD

Before the fireplace there they sat in peace,
Their chairs drawn close together, arm to arm.
In simple words they talked of death's release
From pain and care, and freedom from all harm.
For fifty years they traveled down life's road,
While side by side they weathered storm and strife.
They realized they soon would leave the load,
And pass into a fuller, brighter life.

So there they sat, and sweetly told their love,
As once more, hand in hand, they walked the trail
Of close-bound harmony that leads above
The commonplace, and toward the Holy Grail.
With life well-spent, they faced the unknown night,
Serenely trusting in love's beacon light.

—Olive Scott Stainsby, in "The Spinners."

Nothing is useless to the man of sense; he turns everything to account.—La Fontaine.

The best preparation for the future is the present well seen to, the last duty well done.—G. Macdonald.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., January 9, 1935.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The barometer remains high over Southern British Columbia and fine weather extends from Vancouver Island to Kootenay. Rain is reported in Northern British Columbia and in California. Moderately cold weather extends from the Rockies to Manitoba.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria		Trace	35	41
Nanaimo	--	--	34	41
Vancouver		--	32	44
Kamloops			22	28
Prince George	4.0		10	24
Estevan Point		.02	30	44
Prince Rupert		.24	30	36
Atlin			32	18b
Dawson			8b	24b
Seattle		--	38	44
Portland			34	44
San Francisco		.34	50	52
Spokane			26	30
Los Angeles		.26	50	56
Penticton		--	--	21
Vernon				23
Grand Forks			14	30
Nelson			21	31
Kaslo				18
Cranbrook			2b	26
Calgary	--		6	26
Edmonton			12b	Zero
Swift Current	.1		Zero	16
Prince Albert	.2	--	Zero	4
Saskatoon		--	Zero	2
Qu'Appelle		--	Zero	8
Winnipeg	1.2	--	Zero	18
Moose Jaw	--	--	2	6
Tuesday—				
Toronto	--	--	34	38
Ottawa	--	--	28	34
Montreal			26	28
Saint John			34	36
Halifax		--	38	44

WEDNESDAY

Maximum	41
Minimum	35
Average	38
Minimum on the grass	32

Weather, clear; sunshine, six hours, six minutes; rainfall, trace.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N.E., 4 miles; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; wind, W., 4 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.26; calm; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.00; wind, S.E., 24 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N.W., 8 miles; clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.12; calm; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.04; wind, N.E., 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.10; wind, N., 6 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.74; wind, S.E., 12 miles; raining.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The way of the superior man is threefold, but I am not equal to it. Virtuous, he is free from anxieties; wise, he is free from perplexities; bold, he is free from fear.—Confucius.

What do you think of R. B. Bennett now? That is the question of the hour, and it is addressed to us wherever we happen to be. Our opinion of Mr. Bennett is not a matter of national importance. Mr. Bennett's opinions are of national importance. We have always considered Mr. Bennett a bold man; we have never considered Mr. Bennett a bad man as well as a bold man. Therefore our opinion of the Prime Minister has not changed now that he has demonstrated that he is a bold, even a daring, man. None but a daring and a courageous man would have had the nerve to make the speeches he has made over the radio within the past few days.

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Some men do not love the Prime Minister; but those men have not changed their opinions either; they have never loved Mr. Bennett, now they hate him. Hatred is not too strong a word to apply to the opinions of those men. We have been asked why the leader of the government has sprung this new policy upon the country on the eve of an election—why the reforms he purposes to effect in business and economics, and in morals, too, were not brought into effect when he attained power instead of at a period they profess to believe he is nearing the end of his term of office?

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The answer is that the abuses in the conduct of some businesses had not been exposed four years ago, and the necessities for reform were not so apparent. The Parliamentary Commission enlarged into a Royal Commission appointed for the purposes of investigating prices and price spreads and wages paid employees had not gathered data exposing the ways and the manners and the methods of what has come to be known as Big Business, nor the truth that markets were being so manipulated that the original producers got nothing but skimmed milk, while brokers and middlemen got all the cream. The facts had to be ascertained before action could be justified.

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If all men had been honest and sincere, and no men greedy and grasping, the old order might have gone on its way without check for another thousand years or so. When abuses become intolerable, there must be reforms lest worse things happen. Mr. Bennett could not act until in possession of the facts. He was ignorant of the facts—although he might have had a suspicion of them—until the constitutional term of the existing Parliament had almost run its course. He could not put his new policies into effect without submitting them to the judgment of the people in general election. That is what he is going to do, and we submit it is the right thing to do.

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In this matter we are not concerned about the future of Mr. Bennett either as a public man or a private individual. Our only concern is the future of the country. What happens to Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett is of about as little concern to us as what happens to Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King, for we believe them both to be good Canadians, although one is bold, daring, able and sincere, and the other appears to us as just the antithesis of all these things. We know where Mr. Bennett stands. How many can say where Mr. King stands, or will know where he stands after he has recovered his breath after the shock of reading the Prime Minister's speeches and delivered one of his broadsides in criticism of the policies of the government? The leader of the government does not appear to care whether he retains power or retires into the dim shades of opposition.

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Mr. Bennett has at least aroused public opinion from a state of political lethargy and given the people something interesting to think over and talk about. He also has given the newspapermen subject for many an arousing and energizing editorial. There has not been such a revival of interest in important public questions and vital political issues since the old days of the National Policy. There is at least a possibility that the new policy of the Bennett government will have as far-reaching effect upon the future of Canada as the old National Policy of Sir John Macdonald had on the languishing business of Canada nearly sixty years ago. Conditions have changed, and policies must change with them and adjust themselves to them. There is an old saying that where there is no imagination the people perish. A majority of the people of Canada are facing conditions which have been thrust upon them by a minority of the people. That is a fact, not a figment of the imagination, and it may be overcome by exercise of the reasoning powers of the majority of the people.

THE COLONIST IN LONDON

The Colonist may be procured at the International News Stand of Messrs. Selfridge & Co., Oxford Street.

TAX RECEIPTS STEADILY GAIN

One Property Holder Pays $8,000 Account Under Interest-Bearing Plan

Taking early advantage of the 5½ per cent interest that is allowed by the city on all pre-payments of taxes, one property owner deposited a cheque with the treasury department yesterday to the amount of $8,000.

Year by year more property owners are coming to realize the advantage of pre-paying taxes, either in a lump sum or by monthly installments.

This is evidenced by the fact that up to the close of business Tuesday, a total of $110,214, or nearly one-tenth of the collection of current taxes in 1934, was received.

Treasury officials were particularly gratified over the high percentage of taxes already paid, and stressed the value of the scheme to property holders who could make monthly payments, thus avoiding a big payment in October when it might be found difficult to raise the whole sum.

Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

TODAY

11:30 a.m.—"New Year in Many Lands" will be the subject of the music lesson for primary students on today's School of the Air programme. KOL, KVI.

5 p.m.—Rudy Vallee and his Connecticut Yankees, aided by several guest stars recruited from stage and screen, will present the weekly Variety Hour. KOMO.

5 p.m.—The second programme of the new "Hour of Charm" series, featuring Phil Spitalny's ensemble of thirty girl instrumentalists and singers, will be heard over Columbia at this hour. KOL, KVI, KSL.

6 p.m.—Captain Henry's "Showboat," with Lanny Ross and all the favorites, will be heard at its usual time. KOMO.

6:30 p.m.—Augented by the new Girls' Glee Club headed by Kay Thompson, Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians will give their second one-hour show over the Columbia network tonight. KOL, KVI, KSL.

7 p.m.—Paul Whiteman and his orchestra, assisted by many of the brilliant Whiteman singers, will present another Music Hall Show. KOMO.

7:45 p.m. The Colonist news flashes. CFCT.

8:15 p.m.—The San Francisco Symphony Orchestra will be heard during this hour in a broadcast of popular classical selections. KOMO.

8:30 p.m.—Annette Hanshaw, Walter O'Keefe and his Broadway Hillbillies, and Glen Gray's Casa Loma Orchestra will broadcast another caravan of song and laughter over Columbia channels. KOL, KVI, KSL.

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 Kcys.)

9.00 a.m.—Timely Topics, Dr. Clem Davies.
8.15 a.m.—Tempus Fugit.
9.30 a.m.—Let's Go Places With Eric Marshall.
8.45 a.m.—Time Flies.
9.00 a.m.—Morning Moods.
10.00 a.m.—Feature Programme.
10.30 a.m.—Art Parey at the Piano.
11.00 a.m.—Music in the Air.
11.20 a.m.—The Concert Album.
12.00 noon—Melodie Moderne.
12.15 p.m.—World Bookman. "How Many Different Kinds of Mushrooms Are There?"
12.20 p.m.—Ten Tuneful Minutes.
12.20 p.m.—Prof. Robert M. Mobius.
5.30 p.m.—Birthday Party.
6.00 p.m.—Dancing Tempo.
6.30 p.m.—Sundown.
7.30 p.m.—George Read at the Piano, presented by Little & Taylor.
7.45 p.m.—Colonist Radio Reporter.
8.00 p.m.—Eight Bells.

CJOR, Victoria, B.C. (600 keys)

4.15 p.m.—Don Pedro's Sextette.
4.45 p.m.—Edith Carrothers' Programme.
5.15 p.m.—Cariboo Cowboys.
5.45 p.m.—Eb and Zeb, E.T.
6.30 p.m.—Prairie Drifters.
7.00 p.m.—Women's Viewpoint.
7.15 p.m.—Junior Chamber of Commerce.
7.20 p.m.—William Forst, baritone.
7.45 p.m.—Doug Raymond, pianist.
8.00 p.m.—Monitor Views the News.
8.15 p.m.—Studio Programme.
8.30 p.m.—Romances of Cariboo, Philip D. Randolph, drama.
9.00 p.m.—Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (1,010 keys)

7.00 p.m.—Imperial Drama.
9.20 p.m.—Roy Barry's Orchestra.
10.00 p.m.—Don Flynn's Orchestra.
10.36 p.m.—Sandy De Santis' Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Len Chamberlain's Orchestra.
11.30 p.m.—Studio Programme.

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 keys)

5.30 p.m.—Variety Programme, records.
6.00 p.m.—See CRC Network.
7.30 p.m.—Sunshine of Your Smile.
7.45 p.m.—See CRC Network.

CKMO, Vancouver, B.C. (1,410 keys)

1.05 p.m.—Stock Quotations.
2.30 p.m.—Madame Juliette, beauty.
4.30 p.m.—Afternoon Tea Dansant.
9.00 p.m.—British Empire Programme.
7.20 p.m.—Socialist Party of Canada.
8.18 p.m.—Bill Brian, June Day.
8.45 p.m.—Bar X Cowboys.

CRC NETWORK

6.00 p.m.—Der Fuhrer of Germany, talk, Prof. F. H. Soward, U.B.C.
9.15 p.m.—Address by Dr. G. H. Barton, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Ottawa.
6.30 p.m.—Musical Keys, piano, organ, vocal octette (NBC, New York).
7.00 p.m.—Imperial Drama of B.C., director, F. V. Young (CKWX and BC Network).
7.45 p.m.—News and Weather Forecast.
6.00 p.m.—Pacific Nocturne, soloists, orchestra, director, Percy Harvey, Vancouver (Western Network).
8.30 p.m.—Bridget and Pat, Winnipeg (except B.C.).
8.30 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
8.40 p.m.—Dominion Department of Agriculture, talk, Vancouver (B.C. Network).
8.45 p.m.—Three Guiters, director Jeff Germaine, Prince Albert (Western Network).
9.00 p.m.—Happy Valley, Chilliwack (B.C. Network).
9.30 p.m.—Under the Stars, Allan Caron, organist, Winnipeg (Western Network).
10.00 p.m.—Sparklets, vocal and instrumental, director, Eileen Robertson, Vancouver (B.C. Network).

NBC-KPO NETWORK
KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO-KJR

9:15 a.m.—Tony Wons' Scrapbook.
9.30 a.m.—U.S. Navy Band, Lieut. Bentor.
9.00 a.m.—Story of Mary Marlin, Joan Blaine.
9.15 a.m.—Merry Macs, contralto, male trio.
9.20 a.m.—Martha Meade Society, talk.
9.45 a.m.—Press-Radio News.
9.50 a.m.—Johnny O'Brien.
10.00 a.m.—Women's Magazine of the Air.
11.00 a.m.—Standard School Broadcast.
11.45 a.m.—Vic and Sade, Billy Idelson.
12.00 noon—Castles of Romance.
12.15 p.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour.
1.00 p.m.—Betty and Bob, dramatic sketch.
1.15 p.m.—East and Dumke, comedy duo.
1.20 p.m.—Ma Perkins, dramatic serial.
1.45 p.m.—Dreams Come True, baritone.
2.00 p.m.—Al Pearce Gang, variety programme.
3.00 p.m.—Langendorf Pictorial, Rush Hughes.
3.15 p.m.—Mickey Gillette and His Music.
4.00 p.m.—Richard Himber's Orchestra.
4.20 p.m.—Three of a Kind.
5.00 p.m.—Rudy Vallee's Connecticut Yankees.
6.00 p.m.—Captain Henry's Show Boat, Frank McIntyre, Lanny Ross, Conrad Thibault, Muriel Wilson, Molasses 'n' January, dramatic cast; Gus Haenschen's Band.
7.00 p.m.—Paul Whiteman's Music Hall, radio entertainers, Helen Jepson, soprano.
9.00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
9.15 p.m.—San Francisco Symphony Orchestra.
9.15 p.m.—Winning the West, dramatic serial.
9.45 p.m.—Dancing in Twin Cities.
9.45 p.m.—Book Parade (KPO).
10.00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10.15 p.m.—Waltz Time, orchestra; Ben Klassen, tenor.
10.45 p.m.—Tom Coakley's Orchestra.
10.59 p.m.—Press-Radio News Service.
11.00 p.m.—Freddie Berein's Bal Tabarin Orchestra (KPO).
11.00 p.m.—Ted Fio-Rito's Orchestra (KGO to Network).
11.30 p.m.—Way Back When, organist (KPO).
11.30 p.m.—Jimmy Grier's Orchestra.

CBS-DON LEE NETWORK
KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL

9.00 a.m.—Voice of Experience.
9.15 a.m.—The Oumpa, comedy.
9.30 a.m.—George Hall's Orchestra.
10.00 a.m.—Samuel Dejong's Orchestra.
10.45 a.m.—Pat Kenedy, tenor; Art Kassel's Orchestra.
11.30 a.m.—School of the Air, music, primary, New Year in Many Lands; The Twelve Months.
12.30 p.m.—Roadways of Romance.
12.45 p.m.—Easy Aces, comedy.
1.00 p.m.—The Little House Family, drama.
1.15 p.m.—Salvation Army Band.
1.30 p.m.—Dick Messner's Orchestra.
2.00 p.m.—Happy-Go-Lucky Hour (Don Lee).
3.00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies (Don Lee).
3.20 p.m.—Russel Brown, baritone.
3.45 p.m.—Frank Castle's Matinee (Don Lee).
4.00 p.m.—Edgewater Beach Concert Orchestra.
4.15 p.m.—Dan Russo's Orchestra.
4.30 p.m.—Buck Rogers in the Twenty-Fifth Century.
4.45 p.m.—Between the Bookends, Ted Malone.
5.00 p.m.—Hour of Charm, Phil Spitalny's All-Girl Vocal and Instrumental Ensemble.
5.20 p.m.—Billy Bachelor, drama.
5.45 p.m.—D.S.S. Club (Don Lee).
9.00 p.m.—Let's Go to Europe (Don Lee).
6.15 p.m.—Adolph Dorenwood, pianist (Don Lee).
6.30 p.m.—Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians.
7.45 p.m.—Voice of the Crusader, talk.
9.00 p.m.—Mart and Marge, drama.
8.15 p.m.—Little Jack Little and Orchestra.
8.30 p.m.—Annette Hanshaw, Walter O'Keefe, Ted Husing, Glen Gray's Casa Loma.
9.00 p.m.—Pancho and His Orchestra.
9.30 p.m.—Harold Grayson's Orchestra (Don Lee).
10.15 p.m.—Fred Skinner, song stylist (Don Lee).
10.30 p.m.—Orville Knapp's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11.00 p.m.—Dick Jergen's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11.30 p.m.—Organ Melodies (Don Lee).

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 10, 1885)

Woolen Mill—J. Nelson, of Toronto, an experienced woolen mill man, had an interview with the Provincial Secretary yesterday, respecting the erection of a woolen mill in the province.

Island Railway—Slowly but surely the iron-horse is making his way to Victoria. Mr. Dunsmuir, president of the Island Railway, advertises for tenders for constructing twenty miles of track from Esquimalt northward.

Victoria District—Mr. John, M.P.P., met his constituents at Agricultural Hall, South Saanich, on Thursday night, his colleague, Mr. McTavish, being prevented from attending by illness in his family. Mr. Radford, W. H. Williams, J. Holden and others spoke. Last night Mr. John spoke at Elk Lake and tonight he will speak at Cedar Hill.

Postoffice Inspector—E. H. Fletcher has been appointed inspector for British Columbia postoffice division. The appointment will give much satisfaction here.

Mrs. A. E. Gordon Called to Rest

Mrs. Aimee Eleanor Gordon, aged seventy-three years, passed away yesterday after a lengthy illness. She was born in Kilkenny, Ireland, and came to Victoria twelve years ago from Dublin.

She is survived by two sons, both residing in Seattle.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

LAND SURVEYORS GATHERING TODAY

Will Open Annual General Meeting This Morning at Chamber of Commerce Auditorium

From every part of the Province, members of the Corporation of British Columbia Land Surveyors are expected to come to Victoria, today, to participate in their annual general meeting, which opens at 9:30 a.m. in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. R. D. McCaw, president, will preside.

The morning session will include presentation of the financial statement for the year; address by President McCaw; election of the 1935 executive, reading of historical and biographical committee reports by Frank Swannell; revision of statutes, and an address by John Davidson, entitled "Professional Engineers' Contact," and an address by G. K. Burnett on "Government Control of Cadastral Surveys.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Following the announcement of the elections results at the afternoon session, A. J. Campbell will speak on "Photo-Topographical Control of Vertical Aerial Photographs in British Columbia Government Surveys." A report of the committee on ethics of mineral claim surveying will be read by W. G. McElhanney. G. F. Fountain will report for the committee dealing with Section 80, Land Registry Act, and A. S. G. Musgrave will report on a visit to the Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario land survey associations. A paper entitled "The Mineral Act and the British Columbia Land Surveyor," will be read by H. D. Twigg.

The gathering will be concluded with a dinner at the Pacific Club at 7 p.m.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

JANUARY, 1935

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1925.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8.05	4.29	17	7.59	4.48
2	8.05	4.30	18	7.59	4.49
3	8.05	4.31	19	7.57	4.51
4	8.05	4.32	20	7.58	4.52
5	8.05	4.32	21	7.55	4.54
6	8.04	4.34	22	7.55	4.55
7	8.04	4.35	23	7.54	4.57
8	8.04	4.36	24	7.53	4.58
9	8.04	4.37	25	7.51	5:00
10	8.02	4.39	26	7.50	5.01
11	8.03	4.40	27	7.49	5.03
12	8.02	4.41	28	7.48	5.05
13	8.02	4.42	29	7.47	5.06
14	8.01	4.44	30	7.45	5.08
15	8.00	4.45	31	7.44	5.09
19	8.00	4.47			

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LADY ROTHSCHILD DIES

TRING, England, Jan. 9 (AP).—Lady Rothschild, ninety, widow of the first Lord Rothschild, died Monday in Tring Park, the Rothschild home. She was born in Frankfort and is survived by a son, the present Lord Rothschild, and a daughter, the Hon. Mrs. Clive Behrens.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

A UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE

Apropos of the sections on Partnership Language in my Contract Bridge Red Book on Play, someone asked me the other day what to do if his partner did not happen to understand any discoverable dialect. My somewhat facetious answer was that there is one language that even animals understand—force.

I was not, however, advocating the methods of the prize ring. There is a type of force which is perfectly legitimate, and which is sometimes necessary with literate partners as well as with bridge ignorami. In today's hand, East—who, incidentally, knew his alphabet of conventional plays—made the right play to set the contract, not because he knew what it was all about, but because West left him no other sane alternative. If he hadn't, perhaps West would have been justified in using force.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

North: ♠ A K 9 4; ♥ J 10 7; ♦ 9 7 5 4; ♣ J 6
West: ♠ 10 3 2; ♥ Q 9; ♦ A Q J 8 2; ♣ 8 5 4
East: ♠ J 8 6 5; ♥ 8 6; ♦ 6 3; ♣ A 10 7 3 2
South: ♠ Q 7; ♥ A K 5 4 3 2; ♦ K 10; ♣ K Q 9

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♥ (1)	Pass	3 ♥ (2)	Pass
4 ♥ (3)	Pass	Pass	Pass

1—Strong enough for a three heart bid, but South was a cautious player.

2—Unless South has a near-minimum opening bid, North's cards should furnish enough tricks to make game.

3—South jumps at the chance to accept the game invitation.

West opened the eight of clubs from the top of his worthless three-card suit, East winning with the ace and returning the top of his doubleton diamond. On this trick declarer played the ten-spot and West won with the jack. West now banged down the ace of diamonds and indulged in a little thought. Another diamond lead would, it is true, force declarer to ruff, but West was by no means sure where the fourth trick was going to come from unless the heart queen could win a trick. West finally decided that if his partner had the eight of trumps he might trump a diamond and force out one of declarer's top hearts. So in order to make sure that East would ruff, West led his deuce of diamonds. Dummy played the seven-spot and East, in order to prevent dummy from winning the trick, was forced to ruff with the six-spot. Declarer overruffed with the king, but now the jig was up. He had to lose the fourth and setting trick to West's heart queen.

TOMORROW'S HAND

North, dealer.
East and West vulnerable.

North: ♠ Q 6; ♥ A 8; ♦ 9 6; ♣ A Q 10 9 7 5 4
West: ♠ A J 10 8 5; ♥ Q 9 6 5; ♦ K 10 7 2; ♣ —
East: ♠ 7 3 2; ♥ J 7 3; ♦ Q 8 5; ♣ J 8 6 2
South: ♠ K 9 4; ♥ K 10 4 2; ♦ A J 4 3; ♣ K 3

This hand will be discussed in tomorrow's article.

CASH BALANCE IS BEING DEPLETED

Citizens' Recreation Room in Need of Funds, Treasurer's Report Discloses

The cash on hand of the Citizens' Recreation Room committee is gradually being depleted, R. F. Taylor, treasurer, announced yesterday following a meeting of the committee to consider the December accounts.

Receipts in December amounted to $80.50, while the expenses were $185. In 1932 the income in December was $158 and the cash on hand $759.81. In December, 1933, the receipts totalled $68.60, and the cash on hand $515.27. The balance on hand at the end of last December was $384.67.

This balance, the treasurer states, will pay operating expenses to the end of February and he appeals to the public for financial support for the work.

A. H. Hundleby reported 250 men use the rooms daily, and daily he receives expressions of appreciation for the benefits provided. He has arranged with Douglas Flintoff for a showing of the new Cunard Line nine-reel travel film, "Come to Scotland," in the Chamber of Commerce on Friday, February 1, at 8 p.m. Tickets will be available in a day or two, and the proceeds will be devoted to the funds of the rooms.

The third annual meeting of the organization will be held in February, when the audited accounts of the treasurer will be presented.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY, 1935

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1935.

Date	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1			9 54	9 8			18 49	2 1
2			10 28	10 1			19 28	1 2
3			11 07	10 4			20 05	0 9
4			11 52	10 4			20:44	0 2
5			12 29	10 3			21:32	0 2
6	8 20	8 6	8 59	8 4	13 28	9 9	22 08	0 8
7	8 40	9 7	10 18	7 9	14 23	9 2	22 48	1 2
8	6 59	8.7	11 26	7 2	15 25	9 2	23 29	2 3
9	7 20	9 9	12 42	8 5	16 43	7 3		
10	0 07	3 5	7 43	8 9	13 57	5 5	18 45	6.5
11	0 40	4 8	8 05	9.1	15 09	4 8	21:50	9 3
12	1.00	5 9	9 29	9 3	16 15	3 7		
12			8 48	9 4	17 15	2 9		
14			9 10	9 8	19 05	2 2		
15			9 40	9 8	18 51	1 9		
16			10:12	9 9	19 30	1.5		
17	5 52	9 2	7 40	9 2	10 55	9 5	20 08	1 4
18	6 04	9 1	8 28	9 9	11 39	9 3	20 41	1 5
19	6 15	8 9	9 08	9 6	12 20	9 1	21:14	1 6
20	6 25	8 7	9 45	8 2	12 01	9 7	21:45	2 0
21	6 34	9 5	10 27	7.7	13 44	8 3	22 19	2 5
22	6 28	8 4	11.15	7 3	14 28	7 8	22 45	3 1
23	9 48	8 4	12 09	6 8	15 18	7.2	23 11	3 8
24	7 01	8 4	12 04	8 2	16 20	6 6	23 28	4 5
25	7 15	8 5	13 59	5 6	17.55	8 1	23 30	5 3
26	7:29	9 6	14 55	4 8				
27	7 25	8 8	15 48	4 1				
28	7 42	9 2	18 40	3 3				
29	9 04	9 5	17 29	2 5				
30	8 45	9 8	18 15	1 8				
31	9 45	10 0	18 59	1 2				

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

JANUARY, 1935

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1935.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	4 28 a.m.	1 02 p.m.
2	5 44 a.m.	1 46 p.m.
3	6 52 a.m.	2 46 p.m.
4	7 50 a.m.	4 01 p.m.
5	8.35 a.m.	5 25 p.m.
(New moon on 5th)		
6	9 09 a.m.	8 51 p.m.
7	9 26 a.m.	8 17 p.m.
8	9 59 a.m.	9 39 p.m.
9	10 19 a.m.	10 59 p.m.
10	10 38 a.m.	
11	10 59 a.m.	0.16 a.m.
(First quarter on 11th)		
12	11 22 a.m.	1 33 a.m.
13	11 50 a.m.	2 49 a.m.
14	12 25 p.m.	4 01 a.m.
15	1 07 p.m.	5 07 a.m.
16	1 59 p.m.	6 05 a.m.
17	2 58 p.m.	6 52 a.m.
18	4 03 p.m.	7 29 a.m.
19	5 10 p.m.	7 59 a.m.
(Full moon on 19th)		
20	6 17 p.m.	8 23 a.m.
21	7 22 p.m.	8 42 a.m.
22	8 27 p.m.	9 00 a.m.
22	9 32 p.m.	9 15 a.m.
24	10 28 p.m.	9 21 a.m.
25	11 48 p.m.	9 47 a.m.
26		10 06 a.m.
27	0.55 a.m.	10 29 a.m.
(Last quarter on 27th)		
28	2 07 a.m.	10 57 a.m.
29	3 21 a.m.	11 35 a.m.
30	3 21 a.m.	12 25 p.m.
31	5 33 a.m.	1 30 p.m.

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BLUEBIRD HAS ALTERED SHAPE

Campbell's Car Rebuilt and Ready for New Attack on Record

BROOKLANDS, Eng. Jan. 9 (AP).—A great new squat Bluebird, which Sir Malcolm Campbell hopes to send singing down the sand at Daytona Beach, Fla., at more than 300 miles per hour, a little over a month hence, emerged from its cocoon today.

Product of eighteen months of unceasing research and labor, the famous racing monster presented a vastly altered appearance and surprised even those closest to her equally famous pilot.

Completely redesigned, from her broad snout to the tip of her tail fin over twenty-eight feet away, the glistening new juggernaut is now so flattened out it looks almost like a bobsled on wheels.

OWNER'S PRIDE

Viewed from the front there is a distinct resemblance to a flathead shark, with an air intake shutter across the front making a realistic mouth. Sir Malcolm seemed prouder of this shutter than anything else.

"When I close it at top speed I should get fifteen more miles per hour," he said.

The new racer's frontal area was nineteen and one-half square feet against its predecessor's fifteen and one-half. The sleek new Bluebird will be crated for shipping to America on January 19.

GANGSTER SHOT IN CHICAGO RAID

Russell Gibson Falls Under Hail of Bullets From Squad of Federal Officers

CHICAGO, Jan. 9 (AP).—Russell Gibson, Barkerkarpis gangster, shot by Federal agents in a raid on a North Side apartment last night, died at 1:40 o'clock this morning at the American Hospital.

Gibson was shot as he opened fire on a squad of about fifteen agents, sent to a North Side apartment to set a trap for him. Gibson's gun jammed and his shots were ineffective.

Willie Harrison, St. Louis, described by the agents as a minor member of the gang, was captured. One of the women taken said she was Gibson's wife.

Among crimes blamed on the gang was the $200,000 kidnapping of Edward G. Brewer, St. Paul banker.

Funeral Service for Mrs. Hickey Saturday

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Hickey, who passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital on January 8, will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday, the cortege leaving the chapel at 8:45 a.m. and proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Rev. J. R. Buckley will celebrate Requiem Mass at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF JOINT UNEMPLOYED COMMITTEE PRESENTED

The following is a statement of the receipts and disbursements to December 28, 1934, of the B.C. Joint Committee of Unemployment:

RECEIPTS

Collections by canvas	57.40
Receipts from dance	5.25
Collections at meetings	64.80
Collections (Tag Day)	397.03
Grant from City	25.00
	549.48

DISBURSEMENTS

Advertising	91.57
Radio broadcasting	17.50
Rent of hall for mass meetings	29.00
Rent of committee room	7.50
Expenses of visiting delegates (approximately 100)	
Transportation	5.35
Housing	43.40
Meals	84.04
Stamps, etc.	2.00
Sundry expenses	14.95
Remitted to central fund, Vancouver	138.31
	433.62
Balance on hand Dec. 28, 1934	115.86
Made up as follows:	
Actual cash	4.22
Credit Imperial Bank	111.64
	115.86

DORIS M. SAMIS,
Secretary Finance Committee.
F. C. ALEXANDER,
Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined all vouchers and documents in connection with the work of the B.C. Joint Committee on Unemployment (Victoria) from its inception to date, and that I find same to be in order as per above statement.

As I understand that this statement is for publication in the press, it has been condensed and summarized as far as possible.

R. G. MILLER, Accountant.
Auditor.

REFORM PLAN IS ENDORSED

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Minister as clear and statesmanlike. Opposed to that, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, the leader of the opposition, had offered nothing, and J. S. Woodsworth, leader of the C.C.F., had nothing to offer, Mr. Plunkett averred.

The reform platform, he said, was one with an especial appeal to youth. The best assurance that it could be carried out lay in the Government's record in the last few years, when some of the gravest difficulties in Canadian history had been met and overcome. Canada had come through the storm with its dollar at a premium, and without a single bank failure on record.

DEFECTS CURBED

Drastic change in company law was already acting to redress evils from huge mergers and watered stock in Canadian business, Mr. Plunkett continued. The Federal treasury had saved $80,000,000 in controllable expenses, and, through refunding, had pared $14,618,000 from annual interest outlays. Farmers, met by three successive crop failures, had been sustained.

The credit of the four Western Provinces had been upheld, and their external obligations met by Ottawa. Savings had been effected in railway operations, and at every point the commercial stability of the country buttressed.

"If Canada is ever going to be prosperous, it will not be through a policy of spendthrift waste. The outstanding fact today is that Canada is financially sound; can meet its obligations, and, with 10,000,000 persons, is leading all nations in the degree of recovery shown to date," Mr. Plunkett declared.

WAY PREPARED

He cited the price spreads inquiry and creation of Canadian Central Bank to show action already taken towards preparations for the future. Remedies suggested as a result of the inquiry would be carried out by legislation in due course. The Central Bank freed Canada from foreign domination in financial matters, and would prove of great assistance in public financing. Mr. Bennett, Mr. Plunkett concluded, had given every evidence of his sincerity, and deserved the co-operation of the nation.

Senator R. F. Green, following the Victoria member, endorsed the Bennett proposals without reservation. In addition he paid a tribute to Mr. Plunkett, whom he described as one of the best members in the House of Commons. It was largely through the efforts of the Victoria member that the City had now been assured of construction of a new Marine Building, on a comprehensive basis to house all Federal offices here, the Senator pointed out.

A social hour followed, with arrangements under Mrs. W. C. Moresby and able committees. Misses R. Parr, D. Petherbridge, P. Petherbridge, D. Burrows and L. Maynard served tea. A novel musical programme was contributed by Mrs. Florence Noels, accompanied by Mrs. J. Cameron, and a piano-accordion band under Ernest Fullerton, assisted by Messrs. Reg. Gerard, James Haggart, Harvey Godtel, Jack Quinn, Dick Ash and Reg. Saunders.

FUNERAL SERVICE TODAY

The military funeral service for Edward Anthony Locke, Q.M.S., W.O. 2, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, who died on January 8, will be held this afternoon in St. Paul's Garrison Church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Alan Gardiner taking the service. The cortege will leave Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2:15. After the service, the remains will be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

HAWAII BILLBOARDLESS

HONOLULU, T.H.—Among its other attractions, Hawaii now offers its visitors pure and unadulterated scenery. In all Hawaii there is not a single billboard. Beer signs erected in Hilo with advent of repeal were ordered removed recently after an insistent fight by women's organizations. Hilo authorities said the billboards were nuisances. So now there are none in Hawaii.

GIVE REVIEW OF FINANCES

Statement on Esquimalt Monetary Situation Issued by Reeve Lockley

In order to check rumors current in the municipality that municipal finances were so-called "bad shape," Reeve Alexander Lockley, yesterday, issued a complete account of financing during the year. The statement was compiled by G. H. Pullen, municipal clerk.

When the 1934 council took office, a situation needing drastic treatment confronted that body. Net current liabilities amounted to $34,846.69, which included an unsold debenture issue of $30,000 held by the bank as collateral against the overdraft. The market at that time was not favorable and the issue was withheld until later when $27,291 was realized. "This greatly improved the municipality's position with the bank and facilitated negotiations for further financing, pending receipt of taxes," read the statement.

RAISED MILL RATE

"Due to shrinkage in revenue from loss of taxes by the reversion of the property of the Puget Sound Agricultural Society, reduction of Government grants, the imposition of social service costs and unemployment relief, the council was faced with the necessity of raising the mill rate to 44 mills, or an increase of 10 mills," the statement continued. Negotiations with the bank allowed the council to levy for a $10,000 deficit and the rate was set at 40 mills.

"How well the ratepayers have responded to the emergency can be seen from the fact that instead of ending the year with current liabilities amounting to $10,000 as was expected, the municipality will close the year with liabilities less than $4,000," stated the report. This situation, read the statement, is due to the fact that the estimate of current tax collections was fulfilled to within $500 and collections from arrears exceeded expectations by nearly $4,000. Savings were also made on expenditure in the public works and other departments.

RELIEF COSTS

Unemployed relief costs the municipality $11,167, of this amount wages and allowances accounting for $8,460 and material and supervision, $2,706. The governments refunded $5,370 of the total expenditure. No proportion of material and supervision costs was refunded by the governments. The municipality's share of wages was borrowed from the Provincial Government by loan at 5 per cent over a ten-year period.

The statement concluded with the following paragraph:

"The reeve and council consider that the result of the last year's operation is a matter of congratulation both for themselves and the ratepayers and look forward with confidence to further improvements in conditions during the coming year."

E. W. NEEL IS CHOSEN LEADER

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truster's hand. In one country, nature took up the challenge and hit back with a drought so severe as to be classed as a national calamity. That country is today importing large quantities of hay and feed grains to carry its stock over until 1935 crops are harvested," Mr. Neel declared, in part. On price-fixing, he said:

FAILURE FORESEEN

"In the light of experience, any attempt to fix the price is foredoomed to failure. If the price is too low, the producer will be dissatisfied; if too high, or what he considers too high, the consumer will curtail his purchases, and the last state of the farmer will be worse than the first."

Mr. Neel expressed cordial appreciation of the efforts of Hon. K. C. Macdonald to assist agriculture, from a sincere desire to be of service.

VANCOUVER SEEKING TO HALVE INTEREST

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Mayor G. G. McGeer asked the city council to name Alderman G. C. Miller to accompany him to the Mayors' Conference in Calgary on January 28, in the place of Alderman J. J. McRae, after McRae had voted against the resolution favoring reduction by 50 per cent of interest charges on the city's bonds, and Miller favored it.

McRae, at a previous meeting, had been named to accompany the mayor. After a stormy scene, action was deferred until Monday's meeting.

The mayor said he did not wish a rubber stamp, but that it was essential to be accompanied by an alderman who agreed with him both on the objective and the means of attaining it.

MILITARY FUNERAL

Rev. Alan Gardiner officiated at the military funeral service for Daniel Carlos, yesterday afternoon, and at which many sympathizing friends were present. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Onward, Christian Soldiers." Many beautiful floral tributes were received. The following were pallbearers: Sgt.-Major J. S. Murray, Q.M.S. N. Taylor, Sgt. L. Ricketts, Staff-Sgt. J. Morgan, Sgt. W. White and Sgt. J. Kellow. The remains were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. L.-Cpl. J. Rowton was in charge of the gun carriage upon which the flag-draped casket was placed, and the "Last Post" was sounded by W. E. Barnes, P.P.C.L.I., and W. T. Byatt, P.P.C.L.I.

Record Goldfish Shipment

Two hundred tubs of goldfish, a record shipment, are shown as they arrived recently in San Francisco. They were imported from Japan. The picture shows J. H. Ikau taking the fish from the tubs after their long "swim" across the Pacific.

READY TO TAKE NEW TERRITORY

Mussolini Expected to Add Colonies Portfolio to Six Already Held

ROME, Jan. 9 (AP).—Benito Mussolini made ready today to take over quickly Italy's new territories in Africa, ceded to her by France, as the suggestion was advanced that the two nations might invite Germany to renew discussions concerning disarmament.

General Emilio de Bono, Minister of Colonies, was reported tonight to be preparing to sail from Africa shortly to supervise personally incorporation into Eritrea of the strategic triangle of territory at the southern end of the Red Sea.

It was expected an official communique would be issued tomorrow announcing De Bono's resignation from the Cabinet and Mussolini's addition of the colonies portfolio to the six he already holds—foreign affairs, war, marine, aviation, interior and corporations.

TO BE CONSOLIDATED

General de Bono, veteran Fascist, also will effect the consolidation of Somaliland and Eritrea under one administration for greater efficiency.

The suggestion of German collaboration in an agreement for disarmament came from an authoritative source, which said France and Italy have chosen the Italian disarmament memorandum of last January as the basis for granting Germany partial rearmament, provided she returns to the League of Nations and enters the proposed non-intervention pact for Central Europe.

An official communique issued last night giving the details of the several agreements Mussolini and Pierre Laval, French Foreign Minister, concluded during the latter's four-day visit to Rome, said the two agreed that no power could abrogate its obligations concerning armaments by "unilateral act." This was taken to mean that Italy and France would not recognize Germany's alleged rearmament under present conditions.

ATTITUDE OF APPROVAL

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP).—The new Franco-Italian accords were studied when the Cabinet met in weekly session today and hopes were said to be held that they may aid the cause of disarmament.

A spokesman, meanwhile, deprecated suggestions that Italy's acquisition of part of French Somaliland, giving her command of south approaches to the Red Sea and Britain's Suez Canal, provided her with fresh advantages in any future negotiations with Great Britain.

Until the full texts of the new pacts initialled at Rome are received the British position can not be fully delineated, it was indicated, but the attitude in official circles was one of cordial approval.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By Alley

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Five Children Are Killed in Bus Accident

DEADWOOD, S.D., Jan. 9 (AP).—A school bus carrying twenty children collided with a loaded truck near Piedmont, twenty-five miles southeast of Deadwood, late today, killing five and injuring fourteen, five of them critically.

Army medical officers from Fort Meade and American Red Cross workers from nearby towns hastened to the scene and assisted in removal of the dead and injured from the wreckage.

The fourteen children are at Rapid City and at least five are not expected to live.

TENSION GROWS IN SAAR BASIN

Possibility Seen of Territory Being Divided Into Two Parts

SAARBRUCKEN, Saar Basin Territory, Jan. 9 (CP).—A move to have the Saar divided into two parts if it votes to return to Germany at Sunday's plebiscite got under way tonight, as anti-Nazis protested to the League of Nations against alleged Nazi "terrorism."

The League, the protest said, "must take existing terrorism into consideration when it interprets the final result of the plebiscite."

Partition of the territory was not specifically mentioned, but leaders of the (anti-Nazi) common front said that was what they meant.

BLAMED FOR DISORDERS

The protest places on the (Nazi) German Front all the blame for recent disorders in the Saar. Tonight, however, a Nazi was reported stabbed by two Communists at Altenwald, following the breakdown of a German Front meeting there.

International Police quickly occupied the streets of Altenwald to prevent an outbreak such as that in Saarbrucken today, when open fighting between Nazis and anti-Nazis, though quickly quelled by alert police, served to emphasize the tenseness gripping the region.

Numerous minor disorders happen almost daily throughout the territory, but so far none had had serious consequences.

WOULD NOT AGREE

KAISLAUTERN, Germany, Jan. 9 (CP-Havas).—"Germany will not let the Saar be split," Joseph Buerckel, German high commissioner for the Saar, declared here, today, in addressing newspapermen.

"If Germany gets only 51 per cent of the votes, she wants all of the Saar. If she gets only 49 per cent she will refuse all of the territory," Buerckel told the writers whom he had invited here in order to place before them his point of view on the plebiscite, January 13, when the territory votes either to return to Germany, become a part of France or remain under League of Nations administration.

Purchasing Farm By Novel Method

CARMANQUAY, Alta. — George Hardy and Fred Schumacher have agreed on a unique method of farm purchase. Schumacher has agreed to place in a grain elevator to the credit of Hardy twenty bushels of all number one wheat he threshes to the acre or its equivalent in other grades. For the section of land under cultivation the crop total will amount to 12,800 bushels. The deal will be completed in ten years.

Provision is made in the agreement to excuse the purchaser from delivery of any grain in any year that drought, hail or the ravages of grasshoppers cut the yield to twelve bushels an acre or less. That year will not count as one of the ten stipulated in the agreement. No interest is involved.

Courage and capital are needed most to insure complete revival of business. The discouraging phase of the outlook is that those with the capital are too timid and those with the courage have no capital.

FACTS OF B.C. HOLD INTEREST

Ottawa Journal Discovers New Modesty in Victoria Publicity Bureau

The facts about the Province, compiled by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, and issued under the heading "British Columbia Superlatives," showing that British Columbia has the highest mountains, largest smelter, largest telescope and highest waterfalls in Canada, have appealed strongly to most of the editors on the forty-odd newspapers receiving copies.

Some newspapers are using the facts, in total, as an article. Others are using them for fillers for their columns, while The Ottawa Journal takes occasion to "pull the leg" of the local bureau in the following manner:

THE OTTAWA JOURNAL

"The quality we admire most in the publicity bureau which operates in behalf of the city of Victoria and Vancouver Island, is its extreme modesty. Its official letterhead contents itself with three slogans: "The Pivotal Trade Point of the Pacific," "The Finest Residential City in Canada," and "The Summer and Winter Resort of the Coast." This, it will be agreed, is a triumph in under-statement—at least, it will be so agreed by the residents of Vancouver Island, and especially by the Victorians.

"But the modest and retiring spirit of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau is evident in all its works. Not long ago it sent out a story about a sea serpent, not to claim, as it might, that Victoria had the largest sea serpent in the history of sea serpents, but merely that it had a sea serpent of exceptional qualities and fairly dependable as a holiday attraction. Fish stories are distributed occasionally, sometimes with pictures, and one must read between the lines for indications of the profound conviction in the bureau that when bigger fish are grown, Vancouver Island will grow them.

NOT BOASTFUL

"And now comes a page and a half of typewritten copy modestly headed 'British Columbia Superlatives,' which the bureau invites us to publish. We should be glad to do so if it were not that some people might misunderstand, might accuse the bureau of boasting. It is not without interest to know that Vancouver Island has the highest waterfall in Canada, the oldest golf course on the Pacific Coast, the largest indoor salt water swimming pool in North America, the finest weather in Canada, and so on. Technically, these are superlatives, but actually nothing is farther from the thoughts of good Victorians than to speak boastfully of their weather or their golf, their fishing and their roses, it is not with any idea of provoking an argument or inviting comparisons, but as a simple matter of duty to the facts.

"It is in this spirit that one must consider the product of the publicity bureau."

TWO CONVICTS ESCAPE

BOSTON, Jan. 9 (AP).—Two convicts escaped from state prison after slugging two guards, early today, but two others who also made a dash for freedom were captured as they attempted to scale a wall.

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The Victor Company, with its factory situated in Montreal, has for some years been affiliated with Radio Corporation of America; and the alteration in the company's name involves no change in management, ownership or policy. Victor radios and radio-record combinations, Victor electrical transcriptions, broadcasting equipment and theatre sound-reproducing systems will continue, as heretofore, to be manufactured in Canada.

SNOW SCREENS PEAK'S ANTICS

Moving Mountain Still Rumbles and Roars—Cliff Plunges Into Gulch

DURANGO, Colo., Jan. 9 (AP).—The "mountain that moves" rumbled and roared today behind a screen of snow that effectively hid what new pock mark may have been made by the latest of a series of "eruptions" disintegrating the sinister peak.

Before snow blotted out sight of the queer black peak, Carbon Mountain awed spectators saw a huge cliff give way and plunge with a roar into a gulch far below.

Rumbling was heard at Durango, three miles away, and those who have become familiar with the antics of the peak predicted a major disturbance had occurred.

Already, during two years of queer performances, the mountain's north face has been entirely altered. Before sight of the peak was blotted out, last night, the disturbance had spread to the west face.

Geologists have predicted the entire peak soon will crumble and collapse and the sounds which came forth today indicated a crisis was near.

UNDERGROUND FIRE

The "eruptions" are caused by a vast underground coal bed which has caught fire, geologists believe. They say there are indications that the whole mountain rests upon this bed and that the slow fire will undermine the peak.

Vast crevices, sometimes filled with smoke, have appeared across the top and along the sides of the mountain. The smoke and gases billowing from the cracks give the appearance of a volcano but no lava ever has bubbled forth.

On one occasion a huge section of rock, 100 feet square, slid almost a mile down the mountain, a tree jutting from its top. The rock came to rest on a slope in an upright position with the tree still in its original position. This occurred more than a year ago and the tree still is in healthy condition and growing in its new location.

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STREET RAILWAYMEN ACCEPT AGREEMENT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—Street car employees of Greater Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria have voted to accept the British Columbia Electric Railway Company's new wage agreement. Ballots cast yesterday were 711 for the agreement and 533 against.

The agreement provides for restoration of half the 5 per cent deduction from the 1928 wage scale on January 16, 1935, and the other half on January 16, 1936. Some changes in working conditions are also embodied in the agreement.

MOVES TWO-YEAR TERM FOR CHAIR

Trustee P. E. George Files Notice of Motion to Limit School Board Chairmanship

With a view of limiting the chairmanship of the Victoria School Board to two years for any one trustee, a move was made last night by Trustee P. E. George to amend the by-laws of the board by the addition of the following clause: "A trustee shall not be eligible for re-election as chairman of the board for the year immediately following two continuous years' service in that office."

The move to amend the by-laws was tabled as a notice of motion and will be discussed at the next regular meeting of the board. Discussion on the notice of motion could not be heard last night.

It is understood, unofficially, the move is to relieve the trustees of the necessity of following a custom that has long prevailed with the Victoria School Board of re-electing a chairman year after year. It has been considered that members of the board should be free to select any trustee for the post of chairman without having to appear to lack confidence in the chairman of the preceding year.

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PLANS TO STORE FOR LEAN YEARS

U.S. Government Preparing Plan for Storage of Surplus Crops on Farms

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP).—The United States government's version of ancient Egypt's plan of storing food in the full years for use in the lean, tonight was revealed as moving toward actuality.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace said the loan programmes on corn and cotton were being studied with a view to extending them to other principal crops. The loans will enable the farmer, officials said, to sell his crops in an orderly manner, instead of rushing them to market to get cash for pressing obligations.

The loans, as in the case of cotton and wheat, would be near the market price. They would enable the producer to borrow on his commodities if he did not wish to sell outright.

BY LOAN SYSTEM

Officials said also that the "granaries" contemplated would be built up through the loan system. The stocks of grain and other crops would be accumulated and held. They would be insured against such natural calamities as the mid-Western drought and would substantially exceed the normal carry-over from year to year.

Along with the granary plan probably would go new legislation which would empower the agricultural adjustment administration to pay farmers for curtailing production with the stored-up commodities, instead of cash as at present. This might mean the end of the present processing taxes.

LAID AT REST

The funeral of Mable Go Bong, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on January 6, took place yesterday afternoon at the Chinese United Church. Relatives and many friends attended the impressive service conducted by Rev. Chow Ling. The casket was covered and surrounded by many beautiful floral designs. The pallbearers were: David Gung, Jung Hope, Hing Hope, Wilson Lee, Dennis Wong and Alfred Wong. The remains were laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

LAST RITES TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Frances McKay, widow of William McKay, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. Canon A. E. deL. Nunns will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Little Bedtime Stories

The Bob Whites Get a Square Meal

—By THORNTON W. BURGESS—

When Farmer Brown's Boy came to the door to see what all the fuss in the henyard was about, Bully the English Sparrow expected to see Bob White and his family fly away. When they didn't, Bully hardly knew what to make of it. You see, he himself and his family always flew when Farmer Brown's Boy came near. Probably if Bob and his comrades had not been so very, very hungry, they would have flown.

"Bless my heart!" exclaimed Farmer Brown's Boy, as he saw the little brown birds scurrying about among the hens to get something to eat. "Bless my heart, I had forgotten all about Bob White. I ought to have put some grain out for the quail. Poor little chaps, they must be nearly starved." With that he started for the henhouse.

At his first appearance all the Sparrows flew up to the roof of the barn. As he drew near the barnyard Bob White and his family whirred up out of the henyard. Bully the English Sparrow shrieked joyously. Having been driven away himself, he rejoiced in seeing the Bob Whites driven away.

When Farmer Brown's Boy came out of the henhouse he held in his hand a little pan of wheat and cracked corn and chaff. These goodies he scattered oven the snow outside the henyard. Bully the English Sparrow watched and knew not what to make of it. Of only one thing was Bully certain, and this was he meant to have his share and a little more of the grain. He would wait until Farmer Brown's Boy was out of the way and then he and his family would take possession.

But Farmer Brown's Boy kept just within the henhouse door. Bully could see him because Bully was sitting on the roof of the barn and could look right down in the open henhouse. So long as Farmer Brown's Boy was there Bully did not dare go down for the grain spread on the snow.

"Bless my heart, I had forgotten all about Bob White!"

Presently there was a whir of swift wings, and there were Bob White and his family back there just outside the henyard. They had not yet discovered the grain. Bully watched them jealously. After a little Bob White found the feast spread for him, and with a gentle call brought all his family running to have a share in it. Bully chuckled as he saw Farmer Brown's Boy peep out at them. "He'll shoot them or something," thought Bully, and watched eagerly. But Farmer Brown's Boy did nothing of the kind. He smiled as he watched the hungry Bob Whites.

How those hungry birds did pick up that grain! They picked it up until the very last bit disappeared. Then at a happy little signal from Bob White they followed him in a whirring little brown cloud down to the far corner of the Old Orchard. They had had a square meal, and suddenly all the world was a bright and joyous place in spite of the cold.

Next Story: Bully Drops a Hint.

SCHOOL BOARD OPENS BUDGET

First Draft of Estimates Indicates Little Change in Operation Costs

Blocking out its first draft of estimated receipts and expenditures for the year 1935, the Victoria School Board, last night, at its first regular meeting of the new year, arrived at a figure of $450,6[illegible]40 as the amount required to administer the city's school system for the current twelve months.

Of course, these figures are only tentative and may be increased or reduced as details of the various items of expenditure and revenue are given further study by the members of the board. The amount of $450,681.40 is slightly above the actual expenditure of 1934, which was $447,976.31.

SALARY ACCOUNT

The largest item of expenditure in the draft estimate is under the heading of teachers' salaries. This amount is shown at $343,000, including substitutes and night teachers. The entire salary list is given in the draft budget at $415,400. Operation and maintenance of schools for the year is estimated at $63,225, making a total of $478,625 for salaries and maintenance.

Annual payment to sinking fund account and debenture interest is shown as $74,776.40, making a gross total of expenditures of $553,401.40. Gross receipts were estimated at $102,720, leaving the actual net expenditure, estimated, at $450,681.40.

Under the heading of receipts, estimated, the board has placed $75,000 as the largest amount to be expected from Provincial Government grants. Fees from night schools and college will add another $22,500. Sales of materials and supplies make up the gross total of receipts, which the board estimates at $102,720. It was intimated the High School fee of $2 per pupil would be discontinued because of the difficulty in collecting.

ESTIMATES SUMMARY

The following is the summary of the estimated receipts and expenditures blocked out by the board last night, showing the estimate for 1935 in the last column and the actual expenditures for 1934 in the first column:

	1934	1935
Maintenance and operation	$ 53,753.41	$ 83,225.00
Salaries:		
Teachers	321,456.73	330,000.00
Substitutes	7,783.25	9,000.00
Night teachers	9,528.65	10,000.00
Medical and dental	10,484.23	10,000.00
Offices, including High and College	8,495.77	8,500.00
Janitors	31,909.72	32,000.00
Building and grounds	7,051.84	7,000.00
Weekly payrolls	10,040.37	10,000.00
Cafeteria (part year)	411.21	1,000.00
Superannuation	2,793.81	-2,800.00
Total	$468,837.09	$478,625.00
Annual payment to sinking fund and annual debenture interest	81,010.00	74,776.40
Gross total of expenditures	$549,897.09	$553,401.40
Gross total of receipts	101,921.38	102,720.00
Actual net expenditures	$447,976.31	$450,681.40

Estimated net expenditure, 1934, $448,510.00

Dangers of Floods Are Lessening

HOGANSBURG, N.Y., Jan. 9 (AP).—A statue of St. Peter, still stood between the St. Lawrence River ice pack and the Indian village of St. Regis tonight, while Indians said prayers of thankfulness that the river was receding.

Father Bourget, who ordered the statue taken out of the Roman Catholic Church Tuesday when a great ice mass towered beside the church and many houses, again called people of the Indian village in to pray.

Dr. W. R. W. Haight, Canadian Government Indian agent, said tonight the ice jam appeared to be cleared up.

Two Meet Death On Oregon Roads

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 9 (CP).—George Eubanks, about twenty-eight, was killed in a truck collision here today, and police were investigating to determine if a hit-and-run driver was responsible for the death of James Mahan, thirty, steamship wireless operator.

Mahan's body was found lying on the highway near Bertha early today.

Charles Miller, in whose truck Eubanks was riding, was charged with involuntary manslaughter and bail of $1,500 set. It was charged that he disregarded a stop sign.

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Bring Greetings From Chicago to Victoria Bishop

Rev. Father George T. McCarthy and Monseigneur Thomas Bona, yesterday, brought greetings to Bishop J. H. MacDonald, of Victoria, from Cardinal Mundelein and Bishop Shiel, of Chicago.

In the morning, Father McCarthy and Monseigneur Bona enjoyed a drive about the city and had lunch with Bishop MacDonald. In the afternoon, Father McCarthy left for the Mainland, where he will visit the Vancouver Roman Catholic diocese. Monseigneur Bona returned to Seattle, from where he will go to Portland.

Father McCarthy is well known in and around Chicago for his extensive work in connection with the nation-wide campaign in the United States for cleaner movies. He is leader of the Legion of Decency in Chicago.

FOG CONTINUES TO HALT SHIPS

New York Ferry Pilot Hasn't Seen Shore for Two Days

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP).—From Newfoundland down to Hatteras, for the third day, a thick and paralyzing fog smothered the North Atlantic seaboard today. To the west, the fog held on, but with lesser density.

Along the seaboard there was rain.

In New York city, a short-lived break in the thick mist cleared up the traffic in the harbor a bit. A dozen liners either sailed belatedly or proceeded from quarantine in the Lower Bay to their piers. Some were as much as thirty-six hours late.

DEPARTURE DELAYED

The largest of the ocean liners, the Majestic, of the White Star-Cunard Line, was still at anchor close by Ambrose lightship. The Majestic was due to sail again for Europe Wednesday midnight, but her departure was indefinitely postponed.

Near where the Majestic was anchored, the liner Resolute, inbound from a cruise, collided with the freighter Texas Trader. The damage was negligible and the cruise ship came on to dock.

With the nightfall, the fog generally became thicker.

AIRPLANES GROUNDED

Airplane travel still was at a standstill. Rail traffic was delayed. Tugboats in such rail centres as Boston and New York were generally inactive.

The Hudson River steamer Benjamin O'Dell, bound down to New York from Albany and unheard for more than a day, reached her Manhattan pier safely.

Ferryboats were plying by compass only. One pilot on the Yonkers ferry said he hadn't "seen the shore for two days."

FRANCE FEARS AERIAL ATTACK

Booklet Issued by Police Tells Parisians How to Protect Themselves

PARIS.—A warning to leave Paris immediately if possible in the event of an aerial attack by an enemy power is contained in a booklet being sold on all bookstalls and newspaper kiosks in Paris.

The booklet, bearing the imprint of the Prefecture of Police and the Secretariat for Passive Defence, is entitled: "Recommendations to the Civilian Population for Their Protection in Case of Aerial Attack."

PICTURES AIR ATTACK

On the cover is a picture of Paris, with enemy aircraft overhead. The booklet is printed in large clear type and its suggestions are illustrated with photographs. It begins by saying that, "All means of defence will be employed to stop enemy aircraft. Nevertheless some will get through. Don't wait. At the first serious menace, if you can, leave. If you have, in the country, parents, friends, a house or cottage, leave with your family. Don't encumber yourselves with goods and don't wait: Go."

Then, under the heading, "If you must stay," comes a series of instructions concerning the preparation of a refuge in a cellar. It is pointed out that a spot should be chosen where the walls are thickest and that blankets should be used to cover all apertures. Near the blankets should be a solution of chloride of lime, with which they should be saturated.

INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN

Permanently placed in the cellar, it is stated, should be preserved foods, water, a first-aid set, a pick and shovel, dry sand, a fire extinguisher and gas masks.

Instructions are then given to people who find themselves outside when an air raid begins. They are told to leave trams, buses or other conveyances and walk briskly to the nearest cellar shelter. Those in their own homes are told to close windows and shutters, switch off gas and electricity, get their masks and go to the cellar.

Cubs Beat Arrows

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9 (AP).—After smashing away at a rock-like defence for more than two periods without getting anywhere, Boston Cubs cracked in two last-session goals in a lightning-fast battle, tonight, to turn back Philadelphia Arrows, 3-1, and increase their Canadian-American Hockey League lead.

Roy Burmeister scored for Arrows. Frank Jerwa notched twice and Jean Pusie once for Cubs.

Adventure Nearly Fatal

Determined to get a close-up of the Duke of Gloucester, third son of King George and Queen Mary of England, on the occasion of the Duke's recent visit to Sydney, Australia, Miss Catalina Galmes, thirteen, chased the cruiser on which he traveled on her water bicycle, on which she is pictured. But tragedy almost ended her adventure. A passing ferry capsized her small craft; she could not swim, and was saved by a girl passenger on the ferry who plunged into the water and pulled her out safely.

City and District

Executive To Meet—To discuss the possibility of connecting Victoria with the Canadian Radio Commission's national network, the executive of the Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce offices.

Dinner Gathering — Professional surveyors of the province will hold a dinner meeting at the Pacific Club this evening, for discussion of association matters. Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Premier, and Hon. A. W. Gray, Minister of Lands, have been invited to attend as guests of the organization.

To Hold Concert—An excellent programme of varied entertainment has been prepared for the monthly concert sponsored by the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion to be presented tomorrow evening in the branch auditorium. Members and their friends are invited and refreshments will be served.

Sergeants' Mess Meeting — The regular monthly meeting of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, C.A., Sergeants' Mess, will be held in the mess tonight, at 8:30 o'clock. Dress, blues. All members are requested to attend this meeting as business of great importance will be discussed.

Wins Diamond Ring — D. C. Hughes, 1037 Craigdarroch Road, estimated the number of beans in a sealed jar at 1,130 and won the $250 diamond ring donated by Joseph Rose, Ltd., jeweler, 1013 Government Street. The judges were A. T. Stewart, of The Colonist, and W. A. Patterson, of The Times.

Prepare New Act—A new Metalliferous Mines Act is in course of preparation for this session, Hon. G. S. Pearson said yesterday. The new bill, when it becomes law, will not alter standard mining practice in British Columbia, but will bring legislative provisions more up to date, the Minister of Mines explained.

Victoria West Forum — The next meeting of the Victoria West United Church Community Forum will be held in the social hall of the church this evening, when the speaker will be Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Education. Dr. Weir's subjects will be "The Church and Society." Rev. W. R. Brown will be chairman.

Annual Banquet—The Victoria Burns Club will hold its annual Robert Burns banquet in the Empress Hotel on Friday, January 25. Hon. S. F. Tolmie will propose the toast to "The Immortal Memory of Robert Burns." A fine programme of toasts and entertainment has been arranged. All the songs to be sung will be Burns' poems set to music.

To Add Boys—Boys under eighteen years of age, omitted from the protection afforded in amendments to British Columbia minimum wage laws in 1934, will be included in statutory changes inserted in the acts at this session, Hon. G. S. Pearson said yesterday. Other amendments are expected to consolidate steps already taken by the Province in control of work and wages in private enterprises.

Seek Driver's Identity — City police are endeavoring to ascertain the identity of the driver of the auto that struck down Kabul Singh, Hindu, in the ten hundred block, Fairfield Road, yesterday afternoon, resulting in the Hindu suffering a fractured cheek bone. According to the report to police, the driver stopped after colliding with Kabul Singh, but, apparently thinking the Hindu was not injured, drove on.

Contest for Post—Competition for sessional posts in connection with the British Columbia Legislature is keen this year. A contest for the position of sergeant-at-arms was said to be nearing a decision, yesterday, with official announcement expected shortly. Ushers, pages, and sessional stenographers are also being selected, with many more applications than there are posts to fill.

Women's Classes — Calisthenic classes for women, inaugurated by the Provincial Department of Education, have been started in the city and will meet every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon in the Memorial Hall. Fifteen girls already have joined. Miss Harriett Doull at the first meeting outlined the course of training, which includes volley-ball, basketball, gymnastics, folk and tap dancing and drills.

Concern Expressed — Harry Williams, who left Pouce Coupe on December 9 to trek 400 miles along the snowline on the border between Alberta and British Columbia in the Mount Robson Park area, was unreported and feared lost, according to dispatches to the Provincial Police yesterday. The man left the Peace River settlement with five dogs and fifty pounds of food. Concern for his safety has been expressed by friends at Giscombe.

Nominations Set—The Co-operative Commonwealth Federation will hold a nominating convention in Victoria on January 31, to select a candidate in the Federal riding to contest the Dominion election. Party nomination in the Nanaimo Federal riding will be held on February 2, after postponement from this month. The Victoria convention will be held at the C.C.F. Hall, Fort Street, with several names unofficially mentioned as likely to go before the meeting.

Want New Cinder Track—Members of the Victoria School Board, in session last night, instructed the secretary to equest the City Council to consider the construction of a cinder track in one of the city parks, preferably Royal Athletic Park, for preparation for this session, Hon. G. S. Pearson said yesterday. The new bill, when it becomes law, will not alter standard mining practice in British Columbia, but will bring legislative provisions more up to date, the Minister of Mines explained.

Quebec Held to Tie by N. Haven

QUEBEC, Jan. 9 (CP).—Overtime failed to unravel a 2-2 tie between Quebec Beavers and New Haven Eagles of the Canadian-American Hockey League here, tonight. Beavers edged to within a game of the second-place Providence Reds, and Eagles were still in the league cellar.

Obs Heximer sent the Eagles into a first-period lead. Quebec evened it up in the second, when Hub Wilson flipped a shot out from behind the New Haven cage. A few minutes later, Bat Phillips gave Beavers a lead. Frock Lowery and Paul Runge made a smart play for Phillips, who beat Moore cleanly from inside the defence. Beavers seemed ahead for a win until Sam McBride scored the tying goal for New Haven after a thrilling end-to-end rush.

Victoria City to Face Nanaimo XI

Victoria City, of the Victoria and District Football League, will face a tough assignment Sunday afternoon, when they will travel Up-Island and stop off at Nanaimo for an exhibition fixture. The locals will be at top strength and are hoping to return to the city with a victory. A bus will leave from the Veterans of France at 9 o'clock, and anyone wishing to make the trip is asked to communicated with Joe Bloom, of the Veterans of France.

Another Dean to Join the Browns

BIG SPRINGS, Tex., Jan. 9 (AP).—Dizzy and Daffy Dean may have competition from Jack.

Jack Dean, their first cousin, was ordered today to join St. Louis Browns in Spring training on February 24. Jack has played a few semi-pro games.

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CAGE LEADERS WIN ANOTHER

Hoyle-Brown Squad Stages Rally to Defeat West Road, 40-24

Idle for almost a month, Hoyle-Brown cagers, undefeated leaders of the men's "B" division of the Victoria and District Basketball League, staged a great second-half rally, yesterday evening, at the Victoria High School Gymnasium, to defeat a fighting Lake Hill quintette, 40-24. The surburban five led 18-16 at the half-time interval.

The losers started out in great fashion and ran up a 9-0 lead before Hoyle-Brown seemed to know what it was all about. Manager Frank Shandley ran in a number of substitutions and slowly the merchants sliced the lead, and at one time gained a four-point margin, but could not hold it. The surburban cagers came back, and after the score was tied a couple of times, Lake Hill took a two-point advantage as the first half ended.

It took Hoyle-Brown about four minutes to get going in the final canto, and when they did, they ran up the points in quick succession. Lake Hill fought back gamely and got to within eight points of their opponents but after that the winners started to walk away again, and when the final whistle sounded they were on the right end of a 40-24 score.

WEST ROAD WINS

With Young and G. Lannon scoring seventeen points apiece, West Road ran roughshod over New Method Laundry cagers for a 50-27 victory in the second game. The win gave the West Road squad undisputed occupation of the second slot in the championship race.

Scoring the deciding points in the final moments of the game, Kingham-Gillespie nosed out an improved Canadian Scottish intermediate "A" boys' quintette, 35-33. The eventual winners were leading 18-15 at the halfway mark.

TEAMS AND SCORES.

Macedo referred and the teams follow:

Kingham-Gillespie — Turner (4), Anderson (4), Edge (10), McConnell (13), Phillips, Allan, Berry (4), Dale and McConnell. Total 35.

Canadian Scottish — Alexander, Ray, Knight (10), Reid (3), Thorburn, Grant (2), Mainprise, Sugden (4) and Doswell (14). Total 33.

West Road—M. Lannon, Young (17), G. Lannon (17), Sluggett (10), Sluggett (6). Total 50.

New Method Laundry—Sinclair (4), Phillion (7), Jones (2), Viggers (6), Williams (8) and Menzies. Total 27.

Hoyle-Brown — Robertson (2), Levy (7), Caddell (9), Preston (4), Patterson (5), Fraser (2), Macmurchie (6), Goldsmith (5) and Tubman. Total 40.

Lake Hill—Mitchell (7), Cunningham (1), Atkinson (3), Jones, R. Mitchell (12), Bater, Atkinson (1) and McConnell. Total 24.

Londos Tosses Dean

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 (AP).—Jim Londos, of New York, defended his generally recognized heavyweight wrestling title by defeating Man Mountain Dean, of Georgia, in straight falls, here tonight. Dean weighed 317 pounds, Londos, 202.

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Connie Mack Will Manage Athletics Again This Year

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9 (AP).—For Connie Mack's benefit in particular and the baseball-following public in general, will the hot-stovers who have been bust "hiring" Babe Ruth to manage the Athletics please tell why they want to shunt the Athletics' veteran pilot to the sidelines?

Indicating he is like an answer to that question, baseball's seventy-two-year-old ranking elder today put the "kibosh" on all this talk that he is retiring from the helm to give the Babe a chance to achieve his managerial ambitions.

He insisted, also, that he expected to be in there, waving his score card from the pilot's seat on Athletics' until he is eighty.

Larry Aurie in Third Position

Larry Aurie, of Detroit, was ranked third in the National Hockey League's Big Seven today. He got one assist in Detroit's defeat of Chicago Tuesday night and jumped past his teammate, Cooney Weiland, to stand right behind Charlie Conacher, of Toronto. Another Detroiter, Herb Lewis, drew up on even terms with Weiland in fourth position by virtue of a goal and an assist last night.

THE STANDINGS.

	G.	A.	P.
H. Jackson, Toronto	17	7	24
C. Conacher, Toronto	11	12	23
Aurie, Detroit	7	14	21
Weiland, Detroit	9	11	20
Lewis, Detroit	8	12	20
Clapper, Boston	11	7	18
Goodfellow, Detroit	7	10	17
Boucher, Rangers	5	12	17
Barry, Boston	9	8	17
Schriner, Americans	7	10	17

WINDSOR BULLDOGS BEATEN BY BISONS

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 9 (CP).—After spotting the locals one goal early in the third period, Buffalo Bisons answered with a late attack that took them to a 3-1 victory over Windsor Bulldogs in an International Hockey League game here tonight. The win placed Buffalo in a tie with Windsor and Cleveland for third place.

Aubrey Webster put Windsor in front early in the third period. The Bisons came right back with three scores. Lederman, Gross and Newman were the marksmen. All three are former Detroit Olympic players.

Monarchs Trim Austria

VIENNA, Jan. 9 (CP via Reuters).—Winnipeg Monarchs trounced an Austrian national hockey team 6-0 tonight.

Art Rice-Jones, goalie for the touring Canadian team, was back in the nets after an absence of several weeks due to injury.

Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Institute Ends Successful Year

Esquimalt Women's Institute held its annual meeting in St. Paul's Parish Hall on Tuesday evening, Mrs. K. Saddler in the chair. The annual reports showed a most successful year, with a substantial balance in the bank. During the year 100 pounds of sugar, a jam shower and toys had been sent to the Queen Alexandra Solarium; two children in the Solarium were "adopted" by the institute.

Gifts and a generous hamper were sent to a family in the Peace River District; flowers, fruit and eggs were sent to sick members of the institute; all linen for the institute cot in the Jubilee Hospital was renewed; donations of $5 each were sent to the Sunshine Camp, the T. B. Veterans, the Friendly Help Welfare, the Salvation Army and several members of the institute were given Christmas hampers.

Arrangements were made to secure wool to knit garments for the patients in the Solarium.

CONVENERS NAMED

The following conveners for 1935 were appointed: Home economics, Mrs. G. Wise; child welfare, educational, better schools and legislation, Mrs. W. H. Booth; industries, Mrs. K. Saddler; community betterment, Mrs. T. Cave; agriculture, Mrs. R. Garrett; publicity, Mrs. G. Wise; ways and means, Mesdames Kelly, Kennedy, Bradley and Norman; League of Nations, Mrs. Pocock; sick committee, Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Pocock; and auditors, Mr. T. Cave and Mr. W. Booth.

The hostesses for the social hour after the meeting included the members of the executive, Mesdames Saddler, Grimes, Kelly, Wise and Bradley.

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Clubs-Societies

Wilkinson Road W.M.S.

The first meeting of the year was held on Tuesday afternoon by the W.M.S. of Wilkinson Road United Church at the home of Rev. William and Mrs. Allan. The morning session, in the form of a prayer meeting, was conducted by Mrs. Walter Allison. After luncheon the business meeting was held, with Mrs. Albert Allison, the president, in the chair. There was a good attendance of members, and each responded to the roll call by verses of Scripture or a favorite quotation. The members were urged to attend the Victoria Presbyterial, which will be held in the Metropolitan Church on January 23, 24 and 25. Mrs. W. Allison was elected to represent the auxiliary at the general committee meeting, to be held this week, in order that final arrangements can be made for the Presbyterial session. A short worship service was conducted by Mrs. J. Hoy, her her theme being "A Song of Hope and Joy." Encouraging reports were given by various heralds and secretaries, after which many of the ladies presented interesting items taken from the missionary study book. During the afternoon, Mrs. Rush sang a solo, "He Shall Feed His Flock." Miss Harger, of Seattle, was welcomed as a visitor and expressed great pleasure in attending the auxiliary of which she was a former member. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. S. Pringle, Burnside Road, when Mrs. J. Edge and Mrs. Ayriss will prepare the programme. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. W. Allison, after which tea was served.

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Victoria West W.M.S.

An interesting meeting of the Victoria West United W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. W. F. Perry, Arm Street, on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. George Gu led in the opening devotional exercises. Reports were given by Mrs. Frank Rees, the strangers' secretary; Mrs. Harry Watson, literature secretary, and Mrs. Croft, the treasurer. It was decided to adopt as the study book for the year "Builders of the Indian Church." Delegates appointed to attend the annual Presbyterial meetings to be held at Metropolitan Church commencing January 23, were: Miss M. Beattie, Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Rees who was also appointed as social convener during the convention. Appointments to the watch tower were as follows: Mrs. A. L. Young, China; Mrs. Rees, Japan; Mrs. M. Lewis, new Canadians; Miss Beattie, Africa; Mrs. Guy, Kingdom of God and peace movement; Mrs. Guy and Mrs. Perry, calendar committee. The president and two vice-presidents were chosen as a committee to arrange for a Sunday evening missionary meeting to be held during the Spring. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Perry.

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Capital City Lodge

Capital City Lodge, No. 303, Loyal True Blues, met recently in the Orange Hall, and the following officers were installed. Worthy mistress, Mrs. Doherty; deputy mistress, Mrs. Songhurst; recording secretary, Mrs. Hobday; financial secretary, Miss Lily Mason; treasurer, Mrs. Gallop; chaplain, Mrs. Aspinwall; director of ceremonies, Miss Emily Aspinwall; inside tyler, Mrs. Cave; outside tyler, Mrs. McCallum; pianist, Mrs. Groves. A social will be held at the home of Mrs. Hobday, 1142 Chapman Street, this evening at 8 o'clock, and members are asked to bring a friend. A card game has been arranged for Thursday, January 17, at the home of Mrs. Doherty, 2117 Vancouver Street. Refreshments will be served. The provincial grand mistress will visit the lodge on January 18.

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Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Cadboro Bay Sea Scouts W.A. took place on Monday in the new hall. The treasurer's report was read and showed a most satisfactory financial standing. The secretary's report was read, which proved a busy year of activities, including dances, card parties, country fair, Hallowe'en party and shower of articles for fitting up the kitchen in the new hall. It is the wish of the W.A. to raise enough money this year to carry on with the larger part of the hall. Mrs. Clarke was re-elected president; and Miss Dykes was chosen treasurer and Mrs. Watson, secretary. A dance will be held in St. Luke's Hall on January 18, and a whist card party in the new hall on January 30, at 8 p.m. Tea was served by Mrs. Harte and Mrs. Watson.

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Tubercular Pavilion W.A.

A meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Tubercular Pavilion was held, Tuesday afternoon, in the sisters' recreation room at Vernon Villa. The president, Mrs. K. MacKay, presiding. Sister Superior of St. Joseph's Hospital was welcomed as a guest. Miss K. MacKay and Mrs. Aylwood will act as conveners for a bridge party to be held at the home of Mrs. Trudel, 531 Rupert Street, on Wednesday evening, January 16, at 8:15 o'clock. Those wishing to make reservations are asked to telephone Miss MacKay, G 7979, or Mrs. Aylward, G 7521. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 12, at 3 p.m.

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Tuckabachee Club

The monthly meeting of the Tuckabachee Club of the First Baptist Church was held in the Sunday School auditorium in the form of a party, given in honor of the Young Men's Fraternity, also of the church. A varied programme of games and contests was held, led by Misses Veronica and Marian Stevenson. Later in the evening, refreshments were served, after which a short business session was held, and Miss Minnie Beveridge was unanimously re-elected the sponsor of the club.

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Jolly Eight Club

The Jolly Eight Bridge Club held its first meeting of the year at the home of Miss Ida Casilio, Carroll Street. Prizes were won by Miss Ruth Hansen and Miss Lily Mason. Members present were Misses Iris Noel, Joan Read, Elfreda Hughes, Lily Mason, Ida Casilio, Jerry Kent, Irene McDonald, Ruth Hansen and Dorothy L. Blair. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Elfreda Hughes, Mount Stephen Avenue.

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Gorge and Erskine W.A.

The W.A. to the Gorge and Erskine Churches met recently in the Gorge Church for the monthly session. In the absence of the president, Mrs. W. Sanders, through illness, the secretary, Mrs. H. Peasland, presided. Mrs. Martin, of Regina, gave an interesting talk on Chinese work since 1900 in Saskatchewan. Two letters were read, one being from Miss Burdick in the foreign field, and from Miss Gregor in Alberta.

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Nanaimo L.A.

Mrs. H. Kneen will head the Nanaimo Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion as president during 1935. Other officers elected at the annual meeting on Monday night were: First vice-president, Mrs. W. Mortlock; second vice-president, Mrs. J. H. Martin; treasurer, Mrs. George Barclay; secretary, Mrs. J. Elliott. The executive will be elected at a future meeting.

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Theta Rho Club

The regular meeting of Beaver No. 4, Theta Rho Girls' Club, I.O.O.F., will be held on Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the I.O.O.F. Hall. The installation of officers will take place. Mrs. E. R. V. Todd, junior past president Rebekah Assembly of British Columbia, will be the installing officer. A social will follow the meeting.

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Orange Association

The social meeting of Juvenile Orange Association, Pride of the Island, No. 55, will be held in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock sharp. It is hoped that all members will attend. Members from the sister adult lodges are invited.

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Garden City W.A.

At the first meeting of the year of the W.A. of Garden City United Church, final arrangements were made for a holiday concert, to be held on Thursday, January 17, under the combined auspices of the W.A. and Sunday School.

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Lodge Primrose, D.O.E.

Lodge Primrose No. 32, Daughters of England, will hold its regular business meeting tomorrow in the S.O.E. Hall at 8 p.m. The district deputy, Mrs. Baron, will pay her official visit and install the newly-elected officers.

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South Saanich L.A.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the South Saanich United Church, will hold its first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. A. Gunn, Mount Newton Crossroad, Saanichton, this afternoon.

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Christ Church Guild

The annual meeting of the Women's Guild of Christ Church Cathedral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the guild room.

BABY UNDER BUS

LONDON.—Doreen Whiting, two years of age, escaped death by inches when the push-chair in which she was strapped and being wheeled by her grandmother went underneath a bus at Muswell Hill. The grandmother was knocked down and injured and the baby had a cut lip and bruises.

A Bride and Her Attendants

—Photograph by Gibson's Studio.

Mrs. William Henson, of Battleford Avenue, formerly Miss Irene Haynes, photographed with her maid of honor, Miss Ruby McGruther, and her bridesmaid, Miss Winnifred Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. Henson were married on New Year's Eve at St. Mark's Church, Boleskine Road.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Author Has Four Plays In Edition

Samuel French (Canada) Ltd., the well-known publishers of plays, are about to publish ten plays by Canadian authors, thus establishing what will henceforth be known as a "Canadian Playwright Series." The plays will be published separately and are expected to be ready early this year.

It will be of considerable interest to all lovers of the theatre and drama to learn that no fewer than four of these plays are from the versatile pen of A. M. D. Fairbairn, whose work on the stage, in the artistic world and as a playwright is so well known.

LOCALE OF PLAYS

The four plays in question will be published under one cover under the title of "Four Plays of the Pacific Coast." As the title implies, the locale of the plays is laid on the Pacific Coast, actually on that part of it covered by the coast of British Columbia, and the themes in each instance deal with the dramatic conflict of white and Indian. Two of the plays, "Ebb Tide" and "A Pacific Coast Tragedy," have already been presented on several occasions both in Victoria and on the Mainland, the former having established itself as an outstanding success in the British Columbia division of the Dominion Drama Festival, and in several centres of Eastern Canada.

The remaining two plays, "The War Drums of Skedans" and "The Tragedy of Tanoo," are later productions of Mr. Fairbairn's pen and have not as yet had their premiere.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Bastion Chapter

At the regular monthly meeting of Bastion Chapter, Nanaimo, held on Monday evening, Mrs. C. H. Barker, Mrs. C. Baker and Miss E. Dobeson were nominated as councillors to the Provincial Chapter. Nomination of officers for the ensuing year took place, with Mrs. Calder, Mrs. Coburn and Mrs. Ryan as nominating committee and Mrs. H. McDonald and Mrs. V. Fawcett as scrutineers.

Major J. H. Gillespie Chapter

A meeting of the Major John Hebden Gillespie Chapter was held last evening at the home of Miss Dorothy Hartley, Belleville Street, the regent, Miss Helen Colpman, in the chair. The business included nominations and the officers will be elected at the annual meeting next month.

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PARTY AT SIDNEY

SIDNEY, January 9.—The annual Christmas party for the children and congregation of St. Elizabeth's Church, Sidney, took place in Wesley Hall. Over fifty sat down to a party supper at a long table, at the head of which was Rev. Father E. M. Scheelen. Following the supper, all took part in games. Balloons and fun makers were much in evidence. Early in the evening toys and candy were distributed to the younger children from a large decorated Christmas tree. After the distribution of gifts, several of the smaller children were taken to their homes. The remainder played games until 10 o'clock, when the gathering dispersed.

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Organizes Bridge Club

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MRS. R. F. O. PULTENEY
Who is organizing the Victoria Bridge Club, which will hold its first meeting on January 15 in the lower lounge of the Empress Hotel, where the club will gather each afternoon and evening throughout the Winter. Great interest has been shown in the club since first mention was made of its formation, and it will undoubtedly fill a long-felt want among bridge-playing Victorians.

Social and Personal Notes

Surprise Party

A surprise party was held, recently, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend, Kingsley Street, the occasion being the birthday of their daughter, Grace. The evening was spent in games and dancing. Ian Jack entertained with a piano solo. Supper was served at midnight. The invited guests were: Misses Mabel Townsend, Lillian Painter, Lottie Anderton, Ruth Whitcoak, Lily Barnes, Doreen Mills, Annie Andrews, Marjorie Burch, Barbara Dawson, Betty Townsend. Messrs. Douglas and Ian Jack, Charlie Carpenter, "Pat" Hooper, Jack Price, Arthur Poyntz, Jack Summers, John and Bert Currie, Gilbert Brown, T. Blasenden, J. Anderton and Bob Watson.

Back to U.B.C.

Miss Tita Hall, who has been spending the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall, Pandora Avenue, has returned to the Mainland to resume her studies at the University of British Columbia. She was accompanied by Miss May Peacock, of Vancouver, who has been her guest during the holidays.

Christmas in Toronto

Mrs. G. C. Johnston, of Victoria, who is now in Montreal, spent Christmas in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gillespie. Mr. and Mrs. H. Millman and Mr. Bruce Smith, formerly of Victoria, were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie on Christmas Day.

News of Bereavement

Mrs. R. Barlow, of Bamberton, and Miss Annie Reid, of Forester Street, Victoria, received the sad news, recently, of the sudden death of their brother, Mr. James Reid, of Whitley Bay, Northumberland.

Back From Mainland

After visiting the Mainland on official business, Adjutant L. Ede, the commanding officer of the Salvation Army of this city, has returned home. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ede.

To Resume Studies

Mr. Frank Stevens has returned to the Mainland to resume his studies at the University of British Columbia, after spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stevens, Newport Avenue.

En Route to England

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Crump, Beach Drive, have sailed from Vancouver aboard the Annie Johnston via the Panama Canal for the Old Country. Mr. and Mrs. Crump will be away for four or five months.

Returns to Vancouver

Mrs. Sydney H. Balfour, of Vancouver, who has been spending the past few weeks in Victoria with her mother, Mrs. Beachump Tye, Wilmot Place, has returned home.

Birthday Party

Mrs. O'Regan entertained about forty guests on Tuesday evening, the occasion being the twenty-first birthday of her son, Denis. Games and dancing were enjoyed.

Entertained at Tea

Miss A. Russell entertained the members of the staff of the Provincial Library at a delightful tea, yesterday afternoon, at her home on Boyd Street.

Returns to Vancouver

Mrs. J. S. Hargrave, who with her two children has been spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Robertson, Pemberton Road, returned to Vancouver yesterday.

From Parksville

Major and Mrs. Wingfield Digby, of Parksville, arrived in Victoria, yesterday, and registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

Here for Few Days

Mr. E. B. Tanner, of Portland, is staying at the Empress Hotel for a few days.

From Winnipeg

Mr. C. C. Wardrop, of Winnipeg, is visiting in the city. He is staying at the Dominion Hotel.

Out of Hospital

Mrs. E. Hutchings has returned home from St. Joseph's Hospital, where she was a patient.

Alberta Visitor

Mr. A. W. Lyster, of Youngstown, Alberta, is at the Strathcona Hotel.

At Empress Hotel

Dr. Grant Fleming, of Montreal, is at the Empress Hotel.

A figure of speech is a way of talking or writing by which you say what you don't mean and yet mean what you say.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl chum says that people who insist on reciting movie plots will never win popularity contests.

Daily Bridge Question No. 71

You, South, are playing a contract of four spades.

You win the first trick with the heart ace and then lead the king of trumps, to which West plays the four, North the six and East the five.

How will you play the rest of the hand, and why?

♠ 9 7 6
♥ 9 8 4 3
♦ A 10 9
♣ Q 6 3

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♠ A K 10 3 2
♥ A 2
♦ K Q 4
♣ K J 5

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Answer to Question No. 70

Two diamonds.

This is the type of freak hand on which Mr. Culbertson recommends a forcing bid even though the hand only contains four honor tricks.

New Shoes Will Have Low Heels

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP). — Brightly colored leathers and fabrics, with highly decorative details, characterized Spring footwear exhibited today at the National Shoe Retailers' Association convention.

A trend toward lower heels was evident in virtually all the 300 exhibits, the increasingly popular two inch heel being featured consistently. Round toed and flat heeled slippers were shown for street, evening and beach wear.

The most discussed newcomer was a skeleton type sandal, cut higher over the instep. Described as a charioteer or Grecian sandal, the shoe is held to the foot with narrow bands held in place with a T-strap. This model was shown both with low heels for day time wear and higher heels for evening.

LATTICE PATTERN

Another skeleton type shoe exhibited was designed with narrow bands of leather woven in a loose lattice pattern. The openwork theme was developed less extravagantly in pastel buck and linen pumps or ties with perforations embroidered in colored threads. Brass eyelets served as decoration in other types.

Bright blues, frequently combined with darker shades, were stressed in a number of models, both in leather and linen. Bright blue or brown linen with white kid trim were given prominence in the afternoon group.

Shoes of checked or plaid linens and basket weave cottons were offered among the novelties, which included a pair of red and blue gingham plaid pumps.

Mrs. Carmel Snow, a fashion editor, told a style conference that shorter skirts for Spring and Summer will accentuate the importance of footwear.

Y.P.S. News

FIRST UNITED

The young people of the First United Church held their first meeting of the New Year in the Sunday school hall, on Monday evening, in the form of an "Irish Night," when Rev. W. R. Brown gave an interesting and helpful talk on "Ireland, Yesterday and Today." The devotional part was taken by Miss Evelyn Sidwell, and Miss Margaret Janes gave a short talk on "St. Patrick." New officers for 1935 were welcomed, and the Misses L. and E. Robertson sang a duet. Next Monday night is to be the first social of the new year, which will take the form of a "Chinese Social." Everyone is asked to come in costume.

CITY TEMPLE

The City Temple Society held its first meeting of the season on Tuesday evening. The guest speaker was Mrs. Daniels, who gave an interesting talk about the literary work which is being carried on in China. The next meeting of the society will be held on Tuesday, at which time the young people and their friends are cordially invited by the Women's Auxiliary to attend a "paper bag social."

METROPOLITAN

"Starting off the new year in the right spirit" was the theme of the first meeting of the Metropolitan Y.P.S. for 1935. This was brought into effect in the form of a "capsule" party. Each member wrote his or her name on a slip of paper and put it in a "capsule," and these were then distributed and the receiver was told to do a good turn or to distribute cheer to the one whose name was in the "capsule" selected. Rev. J. H. A. Warr led the sing-song, and a popular song, "Pop Goes Your Heart," was sung by Genevieve Knapp. A skit, "Sidelights on Surgery," added to the merriment of the evening's programme. A first-aid display was given by four members of the Y.M.C.A. Ambulance Corps. Games conducted by Elbert Woods, and refreshments, served under the convenership of Miss Hazel McPhee, concluded the successful programme. The meeting was brought to a close with a fellowship circle, conducted by Mr. Warr, in which Herbert Simpson read a poem incidental to the evening's theme.

Women's Institutes

COMOX

At the annual meeting of the Comox District Institute, held on Tuesday, Mrs. G. Hargood Ash was re-elected president for the ensuing year, but was granted leave of absence for three months, which will enable her to visit Jamaica. Others chosen were: Honorary president, Mrs. McKee; vice-president, Mrs. S. H. Cliffe; secretary, Mrs. G. W. T. Carwithen; treasurer, Mrs. E. Aitken; executive member, Mrs. W. Brown, and social service worker, Mrs. H. Bryant. The treasurer reported a balance of $37.75 at the end of 1934. Reports showed that forty families had received parcels of clothing and groceries during the Christmas month. The members decided to hold a farewell party for the president on Friday, January 18, previous to her sailing for the West Indies on January 22. Mrs. Carwithen, Mrs. Aitken, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Bryant will arrange this gathering.

C.C.F. CARD PARTY

The Ward Four Saanich C.C.F. five hundred party to be held in the Marigold Hall on Friday evening, for which there will be the usual good and special prizes, is to have an added attraction this week in the form of a team match, when teams representing Seven Oaks and Colquitz will struggle through twenty-four hands for supremacy, after which refreshments will be served.

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THE TRUTH ABOUT OUR YOUTH

Are you parents anxious and prepared for the truth about your adolescents—about your youth? If you are not, then I ask you to call a halt and not read the rest of this article.

A man who had had more than the usual measure of human experience and who had traveled and read much, was traveling from the city to the Uplands. The bus was filled with youth—lads from fourteen to twenty. He stated afterwards that he had never seen such an inane, pepless, purposeless lot of lads before in his life. Chaps who were content with their lot—unemployment being rife, content with doing nothing. Lads with no purpose nor aim in life.

This gentleman was a keen and experienced student of human nature. This I realized, so I wondered whether his apparently rash and drastic conclusions were warranted and based on constructive knowledge and experience.

It set me thinking and observing. The question arose: Does the environment in Victoria and community offer sufficient incentive and stimulus for the young people to be doing things—constructive and creative things, things that will keep them from the useless pursuit of day dreaming and fanciful thoughts and mischief?

If our youth are not provided with sufficient stimulus for right doing, then their alternative is mischief. Call it moral crime or wilful wrongdoing, if you will.

May the oldsters take a back seat and let youth provide the creative and constructive thinking and doing. Oldsters belong to a by-gone age.

Next article: "Victoria for Children."

PRINCE WEARS GLASSES

LONDON.—The Prince of Wales wore glasses for the first time in public when he presided at a meeting of presidents of the League of Mercy at the Mansion House, the glasses being chiefly for reading purposes.

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COMMUNIST IN RACE FOR POST

P. D. Wilson Seeks Election as Reeve of Saanich—Four Candidates in Field

Interest in the race for the reeveship of Saanich became greater last night, when Peter D. Wilson, carpenter, of 358 Vincent Street, announced his candidacy at a Ward Four Ratepayers' Association meeting in Marigold Hall. Mr. Wilson, who will seek office on a straight Communist ticket, brought the total of candidates to four, previously announced aspirants being Reeve William Crouch, George McWilliam, Sr., Ward Four, and John Reid, self-styled "workers' candidate."

Mr. Wilson said he had been approached by the Saanich Relief Workers' Association, a non-communistic organization, to run for the post of reeve.

ASSURES CONTEST

Following the meeting, L. H. Passmore, plasterer, of 2845 Heath Drive, prominent member of Ward Seven Ratepayers' Association, announced his intention of seeking a post on the municipal school board. Mr. Passmore's entry assures a contest, two trustees to be elected. The other candidates are Trustee Tomes and William Inglis.

Mr. Passmore is well known in Ward Seven, and is one of the ward association's delegates to the Central Council of Saanich Ratepayers' Associations.

THREE SPEAKERS

The ward association met to hear candidates for municipal office. Mr. McWilliam, Mr. Wilson and Trustee William Tomes, seeking re-election to the school board, were the only speakers, although a letter from Councillor W. R. Woods, seeking re-election as Ward Four council representative, was read.

Mr. McWilliam was the first speaker. "There is a fight on our hands," he stated. As no member of the council had decided to oppose Reeve Crouch, and since he had been approached by ratepayers all over the district, he felt it was his duty to seek office.

FEELS CHANGE NEEDED

The speaker contended it would be to the advantage of Saanich to have a change. He considered the council was in a groove and in serious need of a complete change, if progress was to be made. Two years' service on the council as Ward Four councillor and three years on the school board fully equipped him for office, Mr. McWilliam stated. He will announce his complete platform on January 22, at the regular municipal election session in Marigold Hall.

However, he declared he would, with a council to back him, return relief to the Government. It was a Federal charge, but first must be thrown back to the Provincial authorities, he contended. Mr. McWilliam would also institute a public works programme which would show something tangible as a result. The present system was uninteresting to relief workers and was not giving Saanich any definite construction or public works.

VOTE ON POLICE

Social service charges would be turned back to the Provincial Government, "where they rightly belong," stated Mr. McWilliam. He declared that taxes, at present levied on land and improvements, could no longer be used for social service charges. Mr. McWilliam would give citizens an opportunity of voting on Provincial Police patrol of the area.

Mr. McWilliam, if at all possible, would allow delinquent taxpayers an opportunity of working out their arrears.

"Would you act like Premier Hepburn in regard to the staff at Royal Oak?" he was asked.

INVESTIGATION SUGGESTED

"Sure, a thorough investigation out there would do no harm," Mr. McWilliam replied, in conclusion.

Mr. Wilson would not declare his stand, because it was only a few hours ago that he had made up his mind to run. A good slogan was always necessary and as yet he hadn't secured one.

"How about 'work and wages'?" said a voice. "It worked once."

"Well, Mayor Leeming has the 'greasy pin' slogan, but I won't use that," declared Mr. Wilson. Serious for a moment, Mr. Wilson said, in running on a straight Communist ticket, he would offer several solutions to problems which, if they did nothing else, would cause ratepayers to think.

A letter from Councillor W. R. Woods was read, announcing his intention of seeking re-election and pointing out he would make a complete statement of his platform at the regular municipal session.

TRUSTEE SPEAKER

Trustee Tomes said he was ending his sixth year of public service. During that period many important things had happened, including the taking over of high school education in Saanich by municipal authorities and the erection of three high schools. He stressed the need of technical education throughout the Dominion of Canada.

He told of the incidents leading up to the construction of the new McKenzie Avenue School, which he termed "a blessing to this district." Economy with continued efficiency had been the keynote of the board's work during 1934, stated Trustee Tomes. Great savings had been made in maintainance costs in Saanich schools.

STATEMENT LATER

A detailed statement of the Saanich School Board's financial condition would be presented at the coming election meeting. He gave a detailed account of the expenditure on the erection of the new school and answered many questions concerning its construction.

Trustee Tomes explained why the board had decided against a new school in Cadboro Bay. Lack of students was cited as the reason. Prior to last September, he said, more than seventy-five pupils had been transported in two buses to other institutions in Saanich. This was at a cost of $210 per month. However, the number of pupils had dropped off recently to about forty-two, which number did not warrant a new school, he claimed.

PLANS TO TIGHTEN COMPANY LAWS

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eral election would be momentous—"The most momentous, except one, that you have ever taken," the Prime Minister continued, and he expressed the belief electors would support his platform of reform. Mr. Bennett did not name the one exception.

SUMMARY OF SPEECH

The following is the text in part of the Prime Minister's radio address:

"This is my fourth talk to you within eight days. At the outset, may I say how deeply I appreciate your interest and encouragement. I wish it were possible to personally acknowledge the messages of understanding and good will which come to me from all parts of Canada. I ask you, please, to accept my heartfelt thanks for them. They mean more to me than I can ever say. I value them as a sign of your friendship. I value them as a proof of your generous support. Your support I must have, if this great reform movement is to succeed."

The Prime Minister then devoted some time to a review of what had gone before, repeating his belief that further progress towards complete recovery was impossible without reform.

Turning then to what he described as "a further important measure in my reform programme," Mr. Bennett spoke of conditions leading up to the establishment of the Bank of Canada, better known as the Central Bank.

IMPORTANT TO RECOVERY

When the depression closed the money markets of the world to borrowers, it became necessary for a debtor country like Canada to square its accounts. This meant buying less than was sold, said Mr. Bennett. In this respect, the results of the Ottawa Conference were, in some ways, the most important of the recovery methods.

"At the Ottawa Conference," the Prime Minister continued, "a resolution was unanimously adopted which, in part, recommended: 'The creation and maintenance, within the limits of sound finance, of such conditions as will assist in the revival of enterprise and trade. Among these conditions are low rates of interest and an abundance of short-term money.' We joined the Mother Country and the other Dominions in this resolution."

BIG SAVING IN INTEREST

In pursuance with this action, the Prime Minister explained bank rates had been reduced and a progressive programme of debt conversion had been carried out, saving annual interest charges some $14,000,000. The lowering of the bank rate resulted in lowering of general rates on borrowed money. Two of the largest mortgage-lending institutions were now offering money on first mortgages at 5½ per cent.

Other measures, such as those respecting farm debts and farm loans, and the measure relating to metallic coverage of the note issue, were briefly mentioned, as tending to furnish cheap credit, but much more remained to be done by Dominion and provinces individually, Mr. Bennett said, and by co-operation between the two.

PROVIDES MACHINERY

"Now, the Bank of Canada is a substantial item in our reform programme," Mr. Bennett proceeded, "because it provides the machinery whereby our industrial and economical society may operate more equitably alike in the interests of producers and consumer. The Central Bank is an instrument of control. It is to exercise a regulatory function over our banking and currency system. It is vested with the sole right of note issue. There is vital need of such an institution, which, while co-operating with the private banks, will have particular regard for the welfare of the community at large. The Bank of Canada will be such an institution, charged with the responsibility of seeing that the volume of credit available in the country does not solely depend on the working of competitive business forces.

"Why do I call it a reform measure? Because it is designed to be a powerful instrument of social justice; because it will be the means of insuring a greater measure of equity in the dealings of class with class; because it will aid in correcting disabilities in the old system; because it will be an independent source of advice and assistance in all matters relating to finance; because it begins a new chapter in the history of Canada's financial life."

Turning then to what he termed "the social and economic evil commonly called 'stock watering,'" Mr. Bennett said this constituted a definite impairment of the economic system.

MUST BE PROTECTED

"Notwithstanding the legislation of recent years, the protection of the investor must be improved," the Prime Minister declared. "It is still inadequate. There must be stricter Government regulation of finance in this field so that improper practices may be detected in time and effectively dealt with. The ravages of the promoter who operated in the period of 1922 to 1930, cannot now be repaired. But we can at least see to it that he does not again operate in the same way.

"Our Dominion Companies Act will, therefore, have to be strengthened. There must be drastic simplification of capital structure so that the investor will be able to understand the nature of the stock or security he is purchasing. At the next session of Parliament, the Companies Act will be amended so as to abolish the right to issue shares of no par value.

"The searchlight of publicity must be focused on every issue of securities offered to the public. Adequate machinery must be set up to inquire into and report on corporate developments, which tend towards consolidation and concentration. In other words, the door must be locked before, not after, the horse is stolen.

"Between 1922 and 1930 a great many of our people were the victims of practices against which the law provided no adequate safeguards. From time to time attempts have been made to cure these persistent and recurring evils. None have been wholly effective. The many victims of stock promotion, in the years before the crash, are the certain proof of that. The problem bristles with difficulties, but the Government will enact legislation at the next session of Parliament, which it confidently expects, will, with the wholehearted co-operation of the citizens of Canada, stamp out this evil in corporations under Dominion authority."

IMPRESSIVE REALITIES

Discussion of reform measures already in effect had been delayed, Mr. Bennett said, until they had become "impressive realities." Premature talking was sometimes worse than premature action. Now the measures had "sold themselves" to the people of Canada, and he proposed to talk about them.

It was his duty, now that he had embarked on a policy of reform and stood committed to it, to tell the people, said Mr. Bennett. And it was their right to hear what was planned and the reason for it. It was their privilege to support or reject it. The decision was momentous—"the greatest, except one, that you have ever taken."

"There had been definite improvement in conditions in the past year," Mr. Bennett continued. But he was convinced further progress could not be achieved until defects in the economic system had been corrected.

Unhappiness and hardship had thrown the people into a state of confusion and uncertainty, the Prime Minister said, advancing the social needs for reform. Sorrow and trouble rather than joy and contentment had been too often predominant.

FAULT OF SYSTEM

"Across the vision of many have paraded what appeared to be the iniquities of big business, when often they were only its imbecilities and misfortunes. We will leave it that way. Individuals did not cause the faults in the system. Growth and change in the system were primarily responsible for that. But certain individuals and corporations took advantage of these faults, in order to benefit themselves. And that, of course, worked adversely to the good of the consumer and also to the producer of natural products. I claim that the unhappy fact raised, automatically, the question of Government's responsibility to see that the system more fairly and effectively served the general public. That responsibility I have accepted.

"Because of anxiety and trouble, class has been driven to envlousness of class, their association has been impaired, their co-operation has been lessened. Our whole social progress has been checked. It speaks powerfully for the unselfishness and courage of Christian fortitude of the social and religious leaders in the community, that worse perils have not been engendered by these hard times. And it speaks powerfully for the unselfishness and courage and Christian fortitude of the majority mind in the community itself that, harassed as it has been by the evils of adversity, the dominant characteristics of our people are still, charity and resolution and faith.

"We must unite to banish from all places in the land, hardship and suffering and discontent. For if we fail in our quest for happiness, we will not succeed in any other way which is worth while.

"We must give life a chance to show what it has in store for us. But unless we are able to recapture contentment, the real things in life may pass us by.

TRAGIC CONSEQUENCES

"When I dwell upon these tragic consequences of the economic upheaval, I think more especially about the boys and girls of the nation who were born in wartime or in the years after the war, who have never known the tranquility of the old days, who have, all of them, been born within sound of the drum. For, with brief infrequent intervals, we have been in battle, one way or another, since 1914. A generation of strife; death in foreign lands, at home the furious struggle for wealth, the dreadful siege of adversity, the march of the bread lines, the resistance of brave hearts against the prospect of unchanging want.

Experience of the last twenty years, although "sad and strange," had given the people, Mr. Bennett thought, a finer appreciation of the real meaning of existence. It was now the duty of the present generation to start the youth of the land better fitted for their search for happiness.

"You boys and girls, young men and women, who will take our place some day, we welcome you as our associates and successors in the task of building a greater Canada. We older men and women will gladly share with you whatever we may know, and will proudly learn from you those things which always youth can teach to age.

"I have said enough, for the time being, about the need for reform and about the nature of it.

PROGRAMME NOT COMPLETE

"When you have had an opportunity to carefully think over what I have told you in these talks, we will continue them. I will not pretend to give you, just now, a full and detailed statement of all the measures in our reform programme. I could not do so, for my programme is not complete, and cannot be complete for some time to come. To attempt to determine, at this stage, all we may have to do, would be ill-advised and reckless. There is no formula we can now employ which will strike out, complete, a satisfactory answer to our many problems."

"No, my friends, real, worth-while reform, the kind which will put an end to this tragic state of things, is not carried out in any such easy way. For you will, of course, agree that it is not possible at this time to say finally what may be the extent of the reforms which your well-being demands. We must go on and continue to be guided by that sound test: I hope it may not be very far. I do not love change for the sake of change. I do not grow tired of things because we are accustomed to them; nor, I imagine, do you.

"Our task—simple in theory, difficult in performance—is to replace in the old system those elements which are worn out, broken down, obsolete and without further utility, so that the system may work. Perhaps some would call that 'radicalism.' If it is, it is the sort of radicalism you will have a lot more to do with, so long as we live under a well-ordered system. That type of radicalism makes for continuity of reform. It is the only guarantee of peaceful change.

"CUSTOMS AND PROGRESS

"It is the only hope of prosperity. Imperviousness to change, the hatred of things that are new, the unbending adherence to old customs not because they are good or helpful, but simply because they are old; these things retard progress. They check the advance. They make it disorderly. They build the dam which breaks and submerges in a chaos of destruction, those whose folly and selfishness have set them to oppose the forward march of civilization.

"But, committed as we are to change, determined as we are upon the need for it, resolute as we are to bring it fast about, we have not lost sight of the basic conditions upon which alone any changes can have fruitful results. This is a country of free men. Liberty is dearer to us than life. The right to work out our individual destinies under the guiding principles of our constitution and our laws is a right we will never surrender. Those systems which have found favor with other peoples in other lands, by which all individual right and liberty have been withdrawn, are not the systems which will ever find favor with the people of Canada. By us they are forever proscribed.

"Selfish men, and this country is not without them — men whose mounting bank rolls loom larger than your happiness, corporations without souls and without virtue—these, fearful that this Government might impinge on what they have grown to regard as their immemorial right of exploitation, will whisper against us.

"They will call us radicals. They will say that this is the first step on the road to Socialism. We fear them not. We think that their ready compliance with our programme would serve their interests better than any ill-timed opposition to it.

INVITES CO-OPERATION

"We invite their co-operation. We want the co-operation of all. I think if they are sensible they will agree that it is more in their interests than ours that they should co-operate with us in our just purpose. Perhaps they will see the wisdom of that suggestion in the near future. We all have much to learn. And there is a type of financier and capitalist in every country—that includes Canada—who has fallen into confusion of thought and has grown to believe that the people were put here for his advantage, rather than that he and the system he supports have no other excuse for existence than to effectively serve the interests of the people.

"The agencies of production, of manufacture, of distribution, of finance; all the parts of the capitalist system, have only one purpose, and that is to work for the welfare of the people. And when any of those instruments in any way fails, it is the plain duty of a government, which represents the people, to remove the cause of failure.

"This I do not say by way of threat. I have told you that we hope for the unanimous support of all classes in this great and difficult task of reform, but I think it is only right to add that opposition from any class which imperils the future of this great undertaking we will not tolerate. The lives and the happiness and the welfare of too many people depend upon our success to allow the selfishness of a few individuals to endanger it."

DETAILS FOR PARLIAMENT

He had reached the end of his outline of what had been done, the reasons behind his recovery measures, and the need for further action, Mr. Bennett said. More detailed information would be given Parliament.

"I know you will carefully and earnestly think over all that I have said," Mr. Bennett concluded. "Effective action depends upon your steadfast support. Ultimately your approval of my reform programme can only be given by your support of me at the polls. That, naturally, I want; and for the reason that I, who have given this whole problem such long and anxious thought, and can, I believe, bring to its solution practical experience and knowledge, may see a permanent reform programme well forward on its way. If it were not for that, I would gladly turn over the duties of my office to another.

"I am no longer young. I have worked hard in the past four years, in fact, I have worked hard all my life. I will be glad of a holiday when the time for it comes, but I am, thank God, in good health, and if you will support me, I pledge myself to continue to guide the progress of this vast undertaking until, in your judgment, it has achieved the purpose for which it was designed."

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P.-T. A. Activities

DUNCAN

The study group of the Duncan P.-T.A. met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cyril Stephenson. It was reported that through the kindness of the Knights of Columbus Boy's Club a room will be available and classes will start next week. Young boys will receive instruction in elementary woodworking. Plans for future programmes of the study group were outlined. Meetings will be alternately instructive and entertaining. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W R. Smithe on January 22, when Mrs. D. A. Girvin will read a play. Mrs. J. MacDonald gave an interesting paper on "Discipline of Children of Pre-School Age." Mrs. W. E. Corfield moved a vote of thanks to the speaker. Mrs. MacDonald spoke of the probability of a fund being started to build a gymnasium by public effort. The study group expressed themselves as being in favor of the plan.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Members of the Canadian Daughters' League, Far West Assembly, No. 30, held their annual Christmas entertainment for the children at the New Thought Hall, Fort Street. During the afternoon the dancing pupils of Gwen Noel Dalby put on a Christmas dance play. Those taking part were: Ruth Adams, Iris Noel, Mary Richards, Barbara Moresby, Joan Duncan, Agnes Richards, Marilyn Hunter, Patsy Smith, Shirley Noel, Dorothy Adams, Betty Doodson, Geraldine Smith, Olive Crozier Smith and Noel Dalby. After the dancing, Santa Claus arrived and distributed gifts among the children, and supper was served. Arrangements for the affair were in the hands of a committee consisting of Mrs. Don Smith (convener), Mrs. Richmond, Mrs. Val Dalby.

Sidney

Mr. George Lloyd has returned to Youbou after a visit to friends in Sidney.

Mrs. Stainer, of Victoria, is the guest of Mrs. O. J. Emerson.

Friends of Mrs. J. J. White will regret to hear that she is a patient in the Jubilee Hospital.

The monthly meeting of the North Saanich Welfare Society was held at "Shoreacres" on Tuesday. Plans were made for completing a quilt to augment the funds. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 22, at "Shoreacres." Requests for clothing may be sent to Mrs. J. Gilman, or to any member of the society.

Garden City

An enjoyable party was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sheppard, Savannah Avenue, in honor of the seventeenth birthday of their daughter, Jean. The guests included the Misses Olive Kilby, Hilda Richardson, Doreen Pendray, Eleanor Smith, Nellie Richardson, Helen Welsh, Doreen Briggs, Hazel Wescott, Jean Hitching, May Smith, Molly Richardson, and the Messrs. Dave Crowe, Teddy Robertson, Frank Richardson, Bernard Smith, Joe Hughes, Walter Rubey, Charles Smith, Gordon Jones, Frank Smith, Alex Richardson, Ernest Welch and Clifford Wescott. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. F. Smith, Mrs. T. Pendray and Mrs. E. Jones.

DRESS FIRE FIGHTING

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December Closed Year of Ups and Downs—Waterfront Strike in Summer Months Paralyzed Pacific Coast Trading

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—The month of December closed a year of ups and downs on the Pacific coast freight and charter market, but in the final analysis great progress has been made on the upward trend which probably first gave real evidence of becoming a fact during the Fall of 1933.

A far greater stride would have been made towards financial recuperation had it not been for the disastrous and prolonged strike which spread through the months of May, June, July and August, not only paralizing all Pacific coast trades with its resultant loss of revenue, but necessitating the expenditure of large sums of money to keep some semblance of shipping service in operation.

LOWEST LEVEL

At the end of the strike freight rates were at the lowest level in years, as they were still at the bottom figures to which they were hammered during the prolonged worldwide depression which afforded no margin of profit, even under the previous reduced cost of operation.

The strike and its aftermath of increased wages as awarded by arbiters, therefore, contributed to the impetus given to the sharp advancement of freight rates in general. The present year, barring further labor difficulties, should mark a continuation of the upward trend which view is generally conceded by leaders of enterprise, and marks to a large degree the return of confidence so long sought by all.

A resume of the various trades for the month of December follows:

GRAIN

China-Japan—No full cargo fixtures were reported but parcels were booked to move from Vancouver to Japan at rates in the neighborhood of $2.25 to $2.50, depending on the ports of discharge involved.

United Kingdom-Continent—No full cargo business was reported done for United States loading, but several vessels were fixed from British Columbia to United Kingdom-Continent at rates in the neighborhood of 18s 6d to 19s 6d.

Intercoastal—No charters were reported although it is evident from inquiry that further business may be expected most any time.

LUMBER

Japan—No full cargo charters were reported although considerable parcel business has been effected with regular and semi-berth lines in trans-Pacific trades at rates in the neighborhood of $6.75 on squares and $9.00 on logs. Space is at a premium with practically nothing available before February-March loading.

China—A full cargo of lumber was reported fixed for China at a rate of $6.75 and further inquiry is heard for tonnage. Regular berth lines are quoting $6.75 to $7.00 with every prospect of rates firming within the next month or so.

Australia—Three vessels have been reported fixed for cargoes of lumber on lump sum basis which are thought to work out in the neighborhood of $7.50 to $8.00 per thousand feet.

Intercoastal—No full cargoes of lumber reported as fixed, regular lines taking care of all offerings at the present rate of $12.00 per thousand feet, as set by the conference.

United Kingdom-Continent—No fixtures reported for full cargoes although several vessels have been berthed for combinations of lumber and wheat at rates in the neighborhood of 20s, f.o.b.

TIMECHARTER

Two or three vessels reported as fixed for short one-way voyages at various rates of hire, depending on the vessel involved.

TANKERS

A fair number of fixtures were accomplished from California to various destinations as evidenced by the fixture list with prospects of further chartering appearing imminent in the near future.

MISCELLANEOUS

Corn—Of interest are the reported fixtures of three vessels to load full cargoes of corn from South America to Pacific Coast at rates in the neighborhood of 17s 6d to 18s.

Gypsum rock—Another vessel was reported fixed for a full cargo of gypsum rock from San Marcos Island to China at a rate of $3.10, f.o.b.

Ore—Another vessel was fixed from Leningrad to Tacoma with gold ore. In connection with this movement it is expected that one or two vessels will be fixed each month to fill requirements.

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LOCAL BRANCH IS ORGANIZED

Canadian Amalgamated Association of Seamen Now Represented in Victoria

A local branch of the Canadian Amalgamated Association of Seamen was formed at an inaugural meeting here, yesterday afternoon. The action was the outcome of a request from seventy-five residents of Victoria to headquarters for the formation of a branch, and W. C. Lowery, national vice-president; C. P. O'Donovan, national secretary, and G. Lambert, delegate-at-large of the association, came over from Vancouver to make the necessary arrangements and carry out the organization.

To complete the formation of the local branch, a further meeting will be held on the last Thursday of this month. It will be known as Local No. 4. John Davis was appointed by the meeting, yesterday, to act as secretary pro-tem. It was also decided to hold some sort of an inaugural function, the date of which will be announced later. The headquarters of the local branch of the Canadian Amalgamated Association of Seamen will be in the Pemberton Block, where offices have been secured.

In addressing the meeting yesterday, Mr. Lowery outlined the objects of the association and told those present something of the work which had already been accomplished through its efforts.

"We are still fighting," he stated, "for the employment of white Canadian seamen on ships subsidized by the Federal Government, and we will this year have the pleasure of appreciating the labor we have devoted to lawful agitation in this regard. It was through our agitation that the Empress liners are having their semi-annual overhaul done at the Esquimalt dockyard; and I want to assure you that it is through the efforts of this association that you will soon have the satisfaction of seeing at least two of these ships annually overhauled in the same dock. This will bring business to our trades people and give work to our idle shipyard workers.

"We are still asking for the establishment of a Seamen's Fair Wage Board," Mr. Lowery continued, "and there is every reason for us to believe that this measure will be established in the seaports of the Dominion. We are again this year outlining certain amendments for the compensation laws governing seamen. We are also asking for an eight-hour day aboard ship and two weeks' holiday each year.

"We are fighting lawfully and placing our case before the Government of the Canadian people, so that legislation shall be enacted to give Canadian seamen a greater measure of protection before the law in the future than they have had in the past."

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Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN—Partly cloudy; light, northwest, 20.18; 39 light swell.

PACHENA—Partly cloudy; north, light, 30.09; 36 light swell.

CARMANAH—Clear; calm; 30.00; light swell.

CAPE BEALE—Partly cloudy; northwest, 30.15; light swell.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)

FELLA—San Francisco for Vancouver, 186 miles from Estevan.

WAIKUNA—Bound Vancouver, 407 miles from Vancouver at noon.

BRADOLEN—Bound San Francisco, 506 miles from San Francisco.

HIYE MARU—Bound Vancouver, due today.

Transpacific Mails

EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 12. Due at Yokohama, January 24; Shanghai, January 29; Hongkong, February 1.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Mails close 4 p.m., January 19. Due at Yokohama, February 1; Shanghai, February 5; Hongkong, February 8.

HIYE MARU (via Vancouver)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 23. Due at Yokohama, February 6.

*PRESIDENT COOLIDGE (via San Francisco)—Mails close 4 p.m., January 23. Due at Shanghai, February 11; Hongkong, February 14.

†TYNDAREUS (via Vancouver)—Mails close 1:30 p.m., January 26. Due at Yokohama, February 11.

PRESIDENT JACKSON—Mails close 4 p.m., February 2. Due at Yokohama, February 15; Shanghai, February 19; Hongkong, February 22.

*Mail for Japan only.

†Mail for Shanghai, Canton and Hongkong.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

MAKURA (via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 13. Due at Wellington, February 4; Sydney, February 8.

NIAGARA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 30. Due at Auckland, February 14; Sydney, February 23.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st of each month for Ahousat, Bamfield, Cowichan, Clayoquot, Clo-oose, Ecoole, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Alberni, Port Renfrew, Queen's Cove, Tofino, Uchulet. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th, 18th and 28th of each month ex Ecoole.

Mails close 10 p.m. 21st each month, and 5 a.m., 22nd of each month, for Centre Island. Due 1:15 p.m., 28th of each month.

Mails close 9 a.m., 2nd, 12th and 22nd of each month, except Sundays, for Clayoquot, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kyuquot and Tofino.

Mails close 9 a.m., 8th, 16th and 26th of each month, except Sundays, for Cloose and Port Renfrew.

Mails close 9 a.m., Thursday and Saturday for Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan, San Mateo, Sechart and Uchulet. Due 5 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday.

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Monday, and 1:30 p.m., Fridays, for Holberg, Port Alice and Quatsino. Due 7 a.m., Tuesday and Friday.

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st of each month, and at 9 a.m., 2nd of each month, for Cachalot. Due 1:15 p.m. on the 9th.

Coasting Craft

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 9:15 p.m. daily; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7:30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria at 13 midnight daily; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 4:30 p.m. daily for Seattle; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive Victoria at 1:30 daily from Seattle. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 8 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria at 9:35 a.m. daily from Seattle.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Sunday, at 7 a.m. and 3:15 p.m.; Saturday only at 9:15 p.m.; Sunday only at 5:45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive from Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 12:30 p.m. and 8:5 p.m.; Sunday only, 11:15 p.m.

VICTORIA-WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for West Coast of Vancouver Island ports on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

VANCOUVER-ALASKA — Ss. Princess Louise will leave for Northern British Columbia and Alaska ports, October 10, at 9 p.m.; Ss. Princess Norah will leave Vancouver, October 19 and 27, November 9 and 23, at 9 p.m.

VANCOUVER-NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA—Ss. Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver every Wednesday at 8 p.m. for George; leaves Vancouver every Monday night for Stewart and way ports; Ss. Catala leaves Vancouver every Friday at 8 p.m. for Stewart; Ss. Cardena leaves Vancouver every Tuesday at 8 p.m. for Prince Rupert.

VANCOUVER - QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS—Ss. Prince Charles will leave Vancouver at 4 p.m. every second Saturday.

SWARTZ BAY-FULFORD HARBOR—Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay week days, except Wednesdays, at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor week days, except Wednesdays, at 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay, Sundays only, at 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor, Sundays only, at 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

VICTORIA - GULF ISLANDS — Princess Mary leaves Victoria every Tuesday for James Island, Piers Island, Port Washington, Ganges Harbor, Mayne Island, Galiano Island and Vancouver at 10:30 a.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Black Ball Line ferry will leave Sidney daily at 1:30 p.m.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

PACIFIC GROVE—United Kingdom, December 29.

EMPRESS OF CANADA — Philippines, China, Japan and Hawaii, January 3.

RUTH ALEXANDER—California, January 3.

ORACIA—United Kingdom, January 4.

TYNDAREUS—China and Japan, January 7.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON — Philippines, China and Japan, January 8.

HIYE MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, January 8.

DRECHTDYK — Holland and United Kingdom, January 10.

EMMA ALEXANDER—California, January 10.

PACIFIC ENTERPRISE — United Kingdom, January 15.

RUTH ALEXANDER—California, January 17.

PRESIDENT JACKSON — Philippines, China and Japan, January 23.

MODAVIA—United Kingdom, January 22.

EMMA ALEXANDER—California, January 24.

HIYAN MARU (Vancouver) — Japan, January 24.

DINTELDYK—Holland and United Kingdom, January 4.

NIAGARA—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, January 25.

IXION—China and Japan, January 28.

PACIFIC PIONEER — United Kingdom, January 29.

RUTH ALEXANDER—California, January 31.

TO DEPART

AORANGI — Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia, January 2.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Japan, China and Philippines, January 5.

RUTH ALEXANDER—California, January 5.

HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver) — Japan, January 10.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—Hawaii, Japan, China and Philippines, January 12.

EMMA ALEXANDER—California, January 12.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Japan, China and Philippines, January 19.

RUTH ALEXANDER—California, January 19.

HIYE MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, January 22.

EMMA ALEXANDER—California, January 26.

NIAGARA — Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia, January 30.

Gulf Island Mail

GANGES, GALIANO, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, PORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.

Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

BEAVER POINT, FULFORD HARBOR

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SATURNA

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 15 a.m.

SOUTH PENDER

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.

MUSGRAVE

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Friday 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, 7:15 a.m.

NORTH GALIANO

Mails close Sunday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.

Northern Points

PRINCE RUPERT AND POINTS WEST OF ROSE LAKE

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Friday and via C.P.R. Skeena steamers, 1:30 p.m.; Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m., via Kamloops and Jasper.

Mails due Monday, 3:15 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 7:15 a.m.

POINTS ON C.N.R. WEST OF RED PASS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3:15 p.m.

ANYOX, PREMIER AND STEWART

Mails close Monday, Friday, 1:30 p.m.

Mails due Sunday and Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SWANSON BAY

Mails close Tuesday, 1:30 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 3:15 p.m.

OCEAN FALLS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, 1:30 p.m.

Mails due Sunday, Tuesday, 7:15 a.m.

Gulf Plane Service

Canadian Airways plane leaves Vancouver daily at 9:30 a.m.; arrives Esquimalt daily at 10:15 a.m. Leaves Esquimalt daily at 3:30 p.m.; arrives Vancouver daily at 4:15 p.m.

Contract Let for Fisheries Patrol Vessel

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—Contract for construction of a fifty-two-foot fisheries patrol vessel for replacement on northern waters has been awarded to Boeing Shipyards, of Vancouver, by the Dominion Department of Fisheries, the total cost to be approximately $12,000.

The vessel will be similar to three built in 1929 for the department by the Boeing company. It will be of heavy construction, with a beam of eleven feet and draft of five feet.

The craft will be completed by March 15, this year, and will leave, as soon as commissioned, to enter the North coast service.

DUE IN FROM ORIENT SIDE

Jefferson and Emma Alexander Docking Tonight—Rochelie Here Yesterday

According to latest information at the local office of the American Mail Line, the Ss., President Jefferson, inbound from Orient ports, will arrive at William Head at 10 o'clock tonight. This should bring the liner up alongside Rithet Piers shortly after 11 o'clock. The Jefferson has passengers, mails and over 400 tons of cargo for the port. Work of discharging cargo here will start immediately the ship ties up. Already several days late, work will be rushed to get the ship away as early as possible for Seattle.

On her way north from Wilmington and San Francisco, the Pacific Steamship Lines Ss. Emma Alexander is due alongside Rithet Piers at 10 o'clock this evening. The Emma Alexander has passengers for Island and Mainland points, and some general cargo for Victoria. She will proceed to Seattle at midnight.

From California ports the Kingsley Navigation Company's freighter Ss. Rochelie was here the greater part of yesterday. She arrived in the morning, discharged some cargo at Ogden Point and then shifted into the Inner Harbor, where she delivered 150 tons for the B.A. Paint Works. She was to proceed to Mainland ports last night.

DUE FOR LUMBER

To load lumber for the United Kingdom, the freighter Aldington Court will arrive at Ogden Point Piers today, according to King Brothers, local shipping agents. The firm also reports the freighters Anniston City, Benruachan and Leeds City, due in tomorrow, all loading for the same general destinations in the United Kingdom.

On January 14, two ships are due, the Umberleigh and the Imperial Valley, both to load for the United Kingdom. On Tuesday, January 15, the Sheafcrown will be here to load for Australia; and on Saturday, January 19, the Hoperange will call for United Kingdom lumber cargo.

Transfer of five Japanese freighters, four of which are now plying the Pacific between Japan and New York by way of Los Angeles, has been announced. Under charter to Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, six ships of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha fleet, now operated by the 'K'" Line, will be placed in the regular fast service between Japan and New York. The vessels, all of a speed better than seventeen knots, comprise the Ryoyo Maru, Uyo Maru, Getsuyo Maru, Royo Maru and Tenyo Maru, the latter now building. It is believed they will supplant eight of the older freighters of the fifteen-knot type, now deemed too slow for such a run. The eight ships, comprising the Hakubasan Maru, Hakonesan Maru, Yahiko Maru, Shoei Maru, Iwatesan Maru, Ibukusan Maru, Akagisan Maru and Shigisan Maru, will return to the North Pacific lumber and grain trade.

MIDGET MOTORS

Midget automobiles manufactured in Japan will enter the European market during 1935 to the extent of 900 units, according to a Tokio news report. Contracts have been signed that provide for shipment of 500 of these "baby" cars to Germany and 400 to the Netherlands.

The retail price will be approximately £90 (English), whereas the British-made Austin, which is claimed to have been the model for the Japanese product, retails at £140. The Nissan Automobile K.K. in Yokohama is the manufacturer. The company is two years old.

Outside Japan the "Nissan" is best known in Australia, where the Japanese company has built an assembly plant.

DID NOT SEE ANY TORPEDO

Sailor of Gypsum Queen and Broker Testify in Celebrated Case

OTTAWA, Jan. 9 (CP).—A Montreal broker and a colored seaman on the Gypsum Queen when she sank in 1915 provided the highlights at the hearing of the government's action against Senator H. J. Logan and Captain Freeman Hatfield in the Exchequer Court of Canada today.

Six days after the Government reparation cheque of $71,000 was cashed by Hatfield, who received sixty-five legals of $1,000 denominations, the senator purchased in Montreal bearer bonds for which he paid in large part by legals of $1,000, W. G. Hanson, of Hanson Brothers, Montreal brokers, told the court. The purchase was made from his firm.

Kenneth Stevens, sailor on the Gypsum Queen on her fatal trip in July, 1915, testified the mast and foremast had "blown off" at 5 o'clock in the morning of July 31, 1915, and the ship had been abandoned 400 or 500 miles "west of England."

RESCUED BY CYMRIC

The crew of his schooner had been rescued by the Cymric and brought to Liverpool, said Stevens.

"Did you see any torpedo?" asked Mr. White.

"No, sir," replied witness. At the time the Gypsum Queen met disaster he was off duty and asleep, added the sailor.

"If there had been a submarine visible on the water as you rushed to the deck of the Gypsum Queen when she met disaster, would you have seen it," asked Mr. White.

"Yes," answered Stevens. "I did not see one."

Queen Charlotte Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 13 and 27, and January 10 and 24.

VIA PRINCE RUPERT — Mails close 1:30 p.m., December 5 and 19, and January 2, 16 and 30.

STILL TALK ABOUT LINE

Japan Now Proposes to Guarantee Price for Chinese Railway

The transfer of the Russian interests in the Chinese Eastern Railway to Manchukuo still hangs fire. In the latest move the Japanese Government, through the Foreign Office, offered a short time ago to guarantee Manchukuo's payments for the Soviet Union's rights, according to reports following a conference between Foreign Minister Hirota and Ambassador Constantin Yurency.

The proposal was made as a substitute for the demand by the Soviet Union that the terms of payment be underwritten by a syndicate of Japanese banks. The guarantee suggestion and proposals by Japan as to commodity payments were transmitted to Moscow.

TERMED "COMPLICATED"

Mr. Hirota, according to Nippon Dempo, characterized the Russian demand for guarantee of payment by a syndicate of banks as complicated and cumbersome, and suggested that the Japanese Government give to the Soviet Government an official document worded to the effect that the Japanese Government stands as guarantor for the due fulfillment by the Manchukuo Government of all provisions relating to payment of the agreed price.

Foreign Minister Hirota attacked the problem of commodity payments by suggesting that in the event of a disagreement between the commercial agents of the Soviet Union and Japanese and Manchukuo merchants an arbitration committee be organized and that its decisions be accepted. The committee, under Hirota's plan, would consist of four members, one representing Japan, another Manchukuo, and two representing the Soviet Union.

CASE OF DISPUTE

Mr. Hirota proposed that, if the arbitration committee failed to reach an agreement, diplomatic negotiations be opened to decide the value of the goods. If the dispute involved Japanese merchandise, the negotiations would be conducted by the Soviet and Japanese Governments, and if it arose over the value of Manchukuo products, the Soviet and Manchukuo Governments would conduct the conversations.

Nippon Dempo understands that the Foreign Minister expressed opinions as to the payment of discharge allowances, repeating his former arguments that the Soviet employees of the road should be paid off with a lump sum rather than under the usual procedure of installments, and that, with virtually all the Russians due to leave the line at the conclusion of the sale, the Soviet Union should not insist on retaining Russian clubs, schools, hospitals and other institutions.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 1:30 p.m., January 11 and 25, and February 8.

VIA SEATTLE — Mails close 4 p.m., January 19 and 29.

Even the Riddle of the Sphinx

had to do with the transportation of Mankind*—which goes to prove that said transportation has been a problem for a long, long time.

While we do not presume to offer the ultimate solution to the riddle, we do believe that we can provide all that is up to date and efficient in the way of personal transport.

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COMFORT—CONVENIENCE—ECONOMY

"The Riddle of the Sphinx: "What is it that travels upon four legs—two legs—and three legs?"
Answer: "Man—in infancy, maturity and old age."

Low Bus Fares to the Prairies and the East

ONE-WAY FARES FROM SEATTLE TO

CALGARY	$16.50	CHICAGO	$29.50
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REGINA	$25.70	MONTREAL	$45.65
WINNIPEG	$30.75	TORONTO	$37.40

Information and Tickets May Be Procured at the Coach Lines Depot

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE—CADBORO BAY ROUTE
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At the Theatres

JEAN HARLOW PLAYHOUSE STAR

Glamorous Actress Has Leading Role in "The Girl From Missouri"

As a dazzling background for the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, "The Girl From Missouri," which opens today at the Playhouse Theatre, studio architects designed replicas of many of society's most exclusive haunts.

Scenes in the picture which stars Jean Harlow, occur in a millionaire's penthouse crowning New York's skyline, and in other fashionable resorts such as the Embassy Club and the Lido at Palm Beach, the Union Club in New York, the palatial steamer, Berengaria, and in Buckingham Palace, London.

Produced by Bernard Hyman and with Jack Conway as director, "The Girl From Missouri" has a cast that also includes Franchot Tone, Lewis Stone and Patsy Kelly.

The original of the film play of Paramount's "Crime Without Passion," featuring Claude Rains and Margo and Whitney Bourne, the added attraction, was published in The Saturday Evening Post as a short story, "A Caballero of the Law." The author, Ben Hecht, together with Charles MacArthur, is responsible for the writing, direction and production of the film.

DOMINION THEATRE The perfect Scotch accent. And no greater authority could be found in Hollywood to assist Helen Hayes with her dialogue for "What Every Woman Knows," Sir James Barrie's Scotch romance, now at the Dominion Theatre, than Harry Lauder II, closest nephew of Sir Harry Lauder, world famous singer and comedian. More than twenty different Scotch dialects were considered for the film.

CAPITOL THEATRE Film fans who have speculated on the resemblance between Loretta Young and her sister, Polly Ann, will have their first opportunity to see both actresses performing together on the screen. In "The White Parade," the Jesse L. Lasky-Fox film, now at the Capitol Theatre. Loretta plays the feminine lead opposite John Boles, and Polly Ann plays an important supporting role.

OLD-TIME CIRCUS TO OPEN HERE TOMORROW

A real old-time circus in miniature will be seen on the stage of the Empire Theatre, tomorrow, when the revue, "Circus Days," opens its Victoria engagement of two days. There are thirty stars with the company, and most of them have had experience with the big circus companies of former years, traveling to all parts of the continent under the big top.

Kathleen and James perform in this show on the flying trapeze. What circus would be complete without its flying trapeze? These two artists are masters in their work and put on a thrilling exhibition. For years they have been performing on the trapeze.

"The Aerial Healys" are also down on the bill. They perform on the silver wire, which is another act said to be full of thrills.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Capitol — Loretta Young in "The White Parade."

Columbia — "The Circus Clown," featuring Joe E. Brown.

Dominion — Helen Hayes in "What Every Woman Knows."

Playhouse—"The Girl From Missouri," starring Jean Harlow.

Columbia Offers Laughable Film

Joe E. Brown, the famous awning-lipped comedian, will be back in town today, appearing on the screen of the Columbia Theatre in his First National comedy, "The Circus Clown."

Joe is now back to his first love, for he started his career at the age of nine with a circus and traveled with it for several years before he gave it up to become a baseball player, and later, a theatrical and screen performer.

Once famed as an aerialist, Joe is said to perform almost entirely under the "Big Top" at the Winter quarters of Al G. Barnes Circus, near El Monte, Calif., where the company spent several weeks on location.

The circus is used throughout as a background for the hilarious stunts of the picture, which, however, has its own well-defined plot and romance. The picture deals with the intimate life of the circus folk behind the scenes and also during the giving of a show. The tangled love affairs of the circus folk come into play, in which Joe becomes so involved that his plight becomes ludicrous.

BACH SELECTIONS TO BE HEARD IN RECITAL

The many lovers of Bach in this city may expect a treat when the Legion Singers, a quartette of lovely women's voices, appear here on Monday, January 14, at the Empress Hotel. They open their varied programme with several Bach numbers.

Jamaica to Have General Election

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 9 (CP).—Jamaica's Legislative Council was dissolved yesterday by Governor Sir Edward Brandis Denham. Writs for a general election will be issued this month. Fourteen elected members will be returned to the Legislature in the election. They constitute a minority of the House, outnumbered by the fifteen "nominated" and ex-officio members.

HEN LAYS SUPER-EGG

DISBURY, Alta.—After a period during which it laid double-yolked eggs every second day, a Rhode Island Red pullet on the farm of William H. Smith, near here, produced what is believed to be the king of all eggs. The masterpiece weighed six and one-half ounces and measured eight and three-quarters by seven and one-quarter inches—three times the size of an ordinary egg.

Province Added to Kingdom of Italy

Premier Mussolini and Cardinal Enrico Gasparri are shown on the rostrum at the ceremonies which marked the addition of the province of Littoria, the ninety-third province, to the kingdom of Italy. Years were spent on Mussolini's pet project of draining the Pontine marshes, and the addition of this province, reclaimed from the marshes, brings that project to a successful conclusion.

MAKES PORT AS HOPE ABANDONED

Tramp Steamer Badly Battered After More Than Month in Crossing Atlantic

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Jan. 9 (CP).—Plaything of angry seas for more than a month, the coal-laden Norwegian tramp steamship Blaafjeld reached the safety of her destination here last night. The 1,148-ton collier, thirty-six days out of Swansea, was badly battered by a series of storms, but her complement of sixteen finished the trying voyage uninjured.

Giant waves washed away part of the bridge and railings, smashed a lifeboat and lifeboat container, damaged ventilators and caused trouble with the steering gear.

Hope for the freighter's safety had been abandoned in some quarters, until she was reported inbound earlier today.

THIEVES TAKE $214.50 IN CASH AND CHEQUES FROM FERNWOOD STORE

From an open safe at the Fernwood Meat Market, early yesterday morning, thieves stole $187.95 in cash, and before making their exit, took a $15 money order and a cheque for $11.55 from a cash drawer, according to a report by J. Waters, proprietor, to police. The loss is covered by insurance.

Entry was made through the rear door and the robbers left by the front, it was disclosed by an investigation by Detective Charles Cremer.

Castor Oil Drink for Drunkards

CHICAGO, Jan. 9 (AP).—City Judge Joseph V. Stodola yesterday resorted to a castor oil treatment for drunkenness.

Facing him was Fred Cory, sixty-five, Hammond, Ind. The judge gave him a three-way choice: $25 fine, 180 days on the penal farm, or six ounces of castor oil. Cory took the oil.

The judge said:

"Come back tomorrow for two ounces more and the next day for the last dose. I believe the castor oil treatment will be continued in this court."

MADE VICE-PRESIDENT

TORONTO, Jan. 9 (CP).—A. N. Mitchell, general manager of the Canada Life Assurance Co., was elected a vice-president of the company at a meeting of the board of directors today. Mr. Mitchell will continue as general manager.

MAN GIVES LIFE TO SAVE HORSES

Is Struck by Falling Tree After Team Is Frightened Away From Danger

BELLINGHAM, Jan. 9 (AP).—Adolph Scrieber, thirty-eight, a logger, sacrificed his own life late yesterday afternoon, that his team of horses be spared.

After successfully moving his team from the path of a falling tree while clearing a logging camp road, near the Mount Baker Highway, near Deming, Scrieber was struck on the head by a limb of the tree. Death resulted a few hours later from a broken neck, physicians said.

Scrieber, with his team, was removing a stump, which caught against and broke off a decayed tree. He managed to frighten the horses clear of danger, but was unable to escape himself. His widow and two children survive.

Jalal-Ud-Din Rumi was a Persian philosopher and poet, and the greatest of all the mystics of the Orient.

Virginia Vane Says:

MARRIED FLIRT—JUST A NUISANCE TO MOST HUSBANDS

Among ridiculous women who fritter away time and effort in attempts to project themselves into the sun of popularity, the married flirt stands head and shoulders above her sister nit-wits in quantity and quality of silliness.

You know her well; the married flirt. She practises in all countries, in all climes, wherever there exists the state of matrimony, which is pretty much world-wide.

She is the woman who manages to manoeuvre your husband into the corner sofa when what he really wants to do is to have a good game of bridge or to enjoy the fine buffet supper the hostess has prepared. Her laughter is too loud. Her clothes are too few. She boasts that she can't get on with women; but men, my dear, she simply adores men; men are so understanding. Her husband is the man over there in the corner, the one who looks like something pussy had dragged in to the party.

What a pity the married flirt cannot look into the minds of the men on whom she tries her wiles. For real men are thinking that she is cheap and vain and more boring than she is dangerous.

Even men who are not so substantial emotionally, men who are susceptible to the challenge in bright eyes, to teasing lips, to the come-hither lilt in a voice, dislike having lure flung at their heads.

Men are interested in pursuing, not in being pursued.

The married flirt is like the silly little moth that pretends it's a butterfly and goes darting about dizzily, beating its wings against this or that bright flame until it is singed and bedraggled, or until it flies into a fire and is consumed utterly.

If there is a married flirt on your list of friends or acquaintances, cross her off. Moths are annoying at best, and if they start laying the larvae of dissension, they are sure to prove troublesome.

KEEP OTHER WOMAN AWAY FROM HOME FIRES

Distressed: You are being a very foolish wife. The theory of bringing the other woman into the home and thrusting her down the throat of the husband until he chokes from surfeit is a lot of poppy-seed. Does one throw matches in waste-baskets to put out fires?

Give her to understand very plainly that you object to her and to her campaign to interest your husband. Drop all social contact with her and under no circumstances invite her to your home. Since she has been so obvious, you must be firm.

I am sure your husband, if he has always been the good mate you describe, will understand that it is the right of a wife to protect home and happiness, and he will admire you for your strength of purpose. I suspect he will even be relieved that you have taken the situation out of his hands and have prevented what might well become an ugly situation.

FLIGHTY WIFE SHOULD INTEREST SELF IN HUSBAND

Gladys: You flirt because your husband is "selfish and unattentive."

Look, Gladys. I don't know how selfish your husband is, or how inattentive. I do know, however, that irrespective of his degree of selfishness, you have tied his score. You cannot hold his attention, so you flutter about trying to arrest the attention of other men whose interest in you must, in a final equation, become either definite or unwholesome.

You tell me you love and respect your husband and you are "trying to bring him to his senses." I take issue with you, Gladys. A woman who loves and respects her husband does not cheapen herself and her husband by carrying on tawdry affairs with men who should mean nothing to her.

If you spent as much time and effort trying to re-enlist the attention of your husband as you do on capturing the interest of other men, you would be certain to solve your problem.

Give your husband the same brand of flattery and romantic interest you practice on your "boy friends," and please write me the result.

COMPETING WITH MARRIED SISTER

Ellen: You live with your married sister. When your beaus call she takes the centre of the stage and holds it. She "has a way and she's daring."

The solution sounds easy, Ellen. Get yourself a way and be daring. You've been so busy on your job that you have neglected your marcel wave. You come home from your office "tired out," and so you put on your easiest dress instead of your most becoming dress. Don't do it, Ellen. Let the beau or beaus wait, and sail into the room looking like the winner between a beauty and a fashion contest. Remember that your married sister—I don't like her so much, even though she is your sister—has spent the day between her bed and her dressing table.

My conclusion is that you are making a great mistake by living with your married sister, but that may be a matter of economic expediency which, if I were you, I should take the earliest possible moment to adjust.

S.S.V.: The smoking of an occasional cigarette is nothing against her character. In your opinion smoking may not be a becoming habit for girls, but your concern should be, not for the cigarette itself, but for the fact she promised she would not smoke and then "sneaked puffs behind your back." Sneaking is an evidence of loose character which is more to be censured than cigarettes.

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HEALTH RESORT FOR LIVESTOCK

Cattle and Horses Thrive on Treatment on Lake Community Pasture

CHAPLIN, Sask. — Nature has created a health resort near here for the tired farm animal. Fresh, sparkling springs and mineral salts found along the barren shores of Lake Chaplin have restored numbers of cattle and horses to their normal place on the farm.

An island in the centre of the large alkali lake has been converted into a community pasture, and has provided feed for animals each Summer which have been unable to secure sufficient grazing in their own immediate district. A man is employed to herd the stock.

FOND OF MINERAL

A wealth of mineral salts is to be found in the vicinity of the lake, and an analysis has shown the product to contain sodium sulphate of the highest quality. Livestock is exceptionally fond of the mineral, and thrives upon it.

With the coming of Winter, farmers have stored up a quantity of the mineral for Winter rations. In the southern area they have been digging up the sodium sulphate in great quantities and hauling it home to feed their animals. "It peps them up," they say.

Waters of Lake Chaplin have long been known to possess remarkable healing qualities. Sufferers from eczema and other skin ailments have benefited through bathing in the water. Coyotes make the spot their home in the Winter time and provide sport for the hunter with car and hounds.

That Body of Yours

(By, James W. Barton, M.D.)

HOW LIFE SPAN MIGHT BE LENGTHENED FOR THOSE OF MIDDLE AGE

Before the days of the educated physician Nature simply weeded out those who were not rugged, and infectious diseases—diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid, small pox and many others—took so many that even as late as 1800 the expectation of life at birth was about thirty-five years.

What have doctors done to preserve life since 1800?

In 1929 the expectation of life was sixty-one for females and fifty-eight for males. This has been accomplished by the saving of babies at birth and during their first year, and by overcoming to a great extent the infectious diseases that formerly carried off so many thousands yearly.

However, there is another side of the picture that should make us do some thinking.

President R. C. Wallace, University of Alberta, reminds us of the fact that while the expectation of life, reckoned from birth, was increased by twenty-five years during the past 125 years, nevertheless the life expectation of a man of forty today is no greater than it was sixty years ago, and for a man of fifty-five it is even less.

Now one explanation of why men of forty are not likely to live any longer than those of that age of one hundred years ago is that a number of these men were never very rugged and others would have been among the number who would have died from infectious diseases had they not been saved by medical science.

However, most investigators believe that the increased stress of life of the past thirty-five years tells more heavily after middle age in our present civilization.

Personally, while I believe the above two facts are true, I believe that much of the tenseness that tires and kills is due to our unwillingness or perhaps our inability to relax even when we have time and opportunity to do so. That careless or thoughtless eating habits and wrong intestinal habits enter into the breaking down process of the body as we grow older has been well established.

A little more calmness of spirit obtained through the study and practice of our religion, whatever it may be, or by any other means, would have a profound effect upon the gland system of the body and hence upon every other organ and tissue. We would not wear out nearly so soon.

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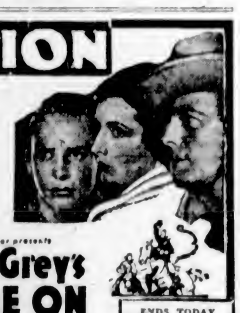

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Following a continental tour which included Montreal, New York and all the big Eastern travel centres, J. J. Forster, Vancouver, steamship general passenger agent of Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited, is in Victoria for a short visit.

At the Empress Hotel, yesterday, he announced with enthusiasm that from all observations the coming year would be a good one for travel. In the East he found a more optimistic feeling and the money was beginning to free itself and stimulate business.

The occasion of Mr. Forster's visit was to introduce to travel representatives C. E. Blaney, Jr., who has been appointed traveling passenger agent of the steamship department in Vancouver.

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Shot to Kill and Killed a Friend

MADRID, Jan. 9 (AP).—A squad of assault guards yesterday fired on an automobile when its driver, instead of obeying orders to halt, waved a friendly greeting to the squad.

The guards, who maintain a tradition of always shooting to kill, pulled the body of the chauffeur out from behind the wheel. They found they had killed the driver of a police car returning from a hospital to which he had taken a sick captain of assault guards.

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REP RUGBY FIFTEEN IS CHOSEN FOR CUP FIXTURE

Ray Impellittiere Expected to Meet Titleholder Next

Giant Fighter Booked to Battle Max Baer in Chicago Ring on March 18—New York Promoters Left Out in Cold as Plans for Bouts Go Ahead

By SAM ROBERTSON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (CP).—The heavyweight fight business showed ample signs today that it was striving to rid itself of rigor mortis, but New York, the one time capital of the cauliflowers, was sadly out of the picture.

PRIMO CARNERA

Fight - cards featured by such topnotchers as Joe Louis, Hans Birkie, Lee Ramage, King Levinsky, Ray Impellittiere, and with Max Baer himself hovering in the shadows were definitely on the grill.

However, around the boxing department of New York's Madison Square Garden, which Tex Rickard founded on fame born largely of successful promotion among the heavies the atmosphere was funereal.

About all that disturbed it was the bellowed threats of Matchmaker Jimmy Johnston to have his lawyers on the track of anyone seeking the services of Champion Baer. The Garden has Mauling Max contracted for a title-defence in June

MAIN THREATS

Jim Mullen and Nate Lewis, two astute fight-stagers from Chicago, were the main targets for Johnston's threats to call the nearest policeman. The Chicagoans claimed to have Baer's consent to the arranging of an elimination series of ten-round, no-decision bouts for him.

Messrs. Mullen and Lewis gathered newspapermen about them last night out of earshot of the Garden and announced Impellittiere probably would be Baer's first opponent in their ambitious programme. March 18 was the date mentioned for the set-to and Chicago the likely site.

The pitting of the upstate New York dreadnaught against the champion was contingent on Ray dragging his 6-foot, 7 1-2 inch frame and 270 pounds into the ring with Levinsky some time next month.

For Joey Louis, the sensational Detroit negro with thirteen straight victories to his credit, two fights were reported made.

This Friday, the twenty-one-year-old "killer" is scheduled to snap steamers with Hans Birkie of Germany, in Pittsburgh. On February 21, according to matchmaker Hayden Wadhama, Louis will meet Lee Ramage of California, in a rematch at Wrigley Field, Los Angeles. In Chicago recently the blacksnake whip Louis has for a right arm, snapped a couple of times on Ramage's chin and the Californian lost on a technical knockout.

PROBLEMATICAL

Unless Messrs. Mullen and Lewis manage to do something with their elimination plans to find a contender for Baer's crown, a championship fight for this Summer appears problematical. The situation is due to the recent two-round knockout Max tagged Levinsky in an exhibition, reportedly because the erstwhile herring-handler talked too much about his prowess and Baer's lack of it.

Currently, they speak of Art Lasky, Steve Hammas and Max Schmeling as being leading contenders for the mantle ruler Baer wears so lightly. But in the light of Levinsky's unexpected fate, all three of them would seem to stand the same chance against the champion that the proverbial snowball would in hades.

FOUGHT TO DRAW

Not many weeks ago Levinsky held Lasky to a ten-round draw in Chicago. Previously, Hamas had earned a decision over Lasky, but it was a controversy-ridden ruling the officials handed down and the majority of the customers and fight-writers named Lasky as the real winner. Hamas bowled over Schmeling before that with the greatest of ease.

All of which would leave ponderous Primo Carnera as the outstanding challenger for the heavy-title.

And, if you were to ask most anyone who looked on the last Baer-Carnera spectacle, they would just as soon have a plate of cold spaghetti as suffer through another one.

Frank Battaglia and Brouillard to Battle Jan. 17

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 9 (CP).—Announcement of a meeting between two of the heaviest punching ringmen ever to come out of Canada, Frankie Battaglia and Lou Brouillard, was made here tonight.

The promoter for Duquesne Garden said the middleweights would collide here on January 17. Considering the dynamite the pair carry in their fists, it seemed unlikely the bout could live through its scheduled life of ten rounds.

Brouillard, former middle champ, is a native of St. Eugene, Que., and now a resident of Worcester, Mass. Battaglia, younger and less experienced than the ex-titleholder, but equally as powerful a puncher, is of Winnipeg.

LIONS DEFEAT CALGARY, 3-2

Strengthen Hold on Second Place by Close Win on Prairies

CALGARY, Jan. 9 (CP).—Vancouver Lions strengthened their hold on second place in the Northwest Hockey League by scoring a 3-2 victory over Calgary, here, tonight. After Calgary had come from behind twice to tie the score, Clint Smith scored the winning goal from a scramble in the Calgary crease.

After Bill Hutton sent Vancouver ahead, Stew Adams, new player-manager of the Calgary club, teamed up with Jimmy Jempson, rookie centre, to even the score. Hank Dyck got the lead back again within two minutes.

From the third period face-off, Jempson batted the puck to Adams, who fought his way through the full team, losing twice, before lifting it past Clark on a backhand shot.

Calgary presented three new players on their line-up tonight, Chubby Scott and Coonie Kunzman, bought last week from Portland, and Adams, a former N.H.L. star, who quit the game when he broke a leg.

Summary

First Period—1, Vancouver, Hutton (Kirk), 8:05; 2, Calgary, Jempson (Adams), 10:11; 3, Vancouver, Dyck (Creasy), 11:58

Second Period—No score.

Third Period—4, Calgary, Adams (Jempson), :09; 5, Vancouver, Smith (Hextall), 5:30. Penalties: Gray, Creasy, Loucks.

Victoria City to Battle Esquimalt

In the only second division football match billed Saturday, Esquimalt and Victoria City elevens will clash at Beacon Hill upper ground at 2:30 o'clock. Dave Swan will handle the whistle.

Perry Displays Great Form in One-Sided Win

MELBOURNE, Jan. 9 (AP).—Fred Perry, whose game has suffered lately because of too much tennis, showed a convincing return to form today, when he defeated Georgio de Stefani, the Italian, 6-0, 6-0, 6-0, to enter the semi-finals of the Australian championships.

TILDEN, VINES DEFEAT LOTT AND STOEFEN

Veteran and Partner Score Hard-Fought Net Win Over Newcomers

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (AP).—George Martin Lott, Jr., and Lester Rollo Stoeffen, world's amateur tennis doubles champions, were initiated into the professional fraternity tonight, losing in their debut to Bill Tilden and Ellsworth Vines, 3-6, 14-16, 13-11, 8-6, 6-4, in Madison Square Garden, before 14,800 paid spectators.

Before the protracted doubles match, which lasted a little less than three hours and through which the majority of the spectators sat enthralled, Tilden defeated Lott in straight sets, 6-4, 7-5, in the opening singles match.

MATCH CANCELLED

The singles match between Stoefen and Vines, scheduled to follow the doubles test, was cancelled, owing to the lateness of the hour and the fatigued condition of the performers.

The gate, amounting to $24,680 in cash, represented an increase over the crowd that turned out a year ago for Vines' pro debut and set an all-time record for indoor tennis. Last year, the paid gate attendance was 14,637.

Maurice Peters Leading Jockey Of 1934 Season

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (CP).—Perusal of the final standings of the jockeys on American tracks in 1934 shows that while Maurice (Moose) Peters, of Brantford, N.D., topped the list in total winners, there were other riders who attained a higher percentage with fewer mounts. Howard Hughes led in this respect by scoring with 23 per cent of his mounts. Paul Keester was second with 22 per cent, while Peters, F. Fernandez and F. A. Smith tied for third with 21 per cent.

Little Brushing Up Game

Lawson Little, British and American amateur golf champion, is shown preparing his game for the United States match play open to be held in San Francisco in January. Larry Brazil, presidio pro, is shown looking on.

Wallace Highly Praised By Welterweight Champ

Jimmy McLarnin Impressed by Showing of Vancouver Boy Against Headley—Would Hold Own in Best of Welterweight Company

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—Gordon Wallace, Vancouver belter, who knocked out Ron Headley, of Ottawa, in the eighth round of a scheduled twelve-session headliner last night, could hold his own with the best of the welterweights, in the opinion of no less an authority than Jimmy McLarnin, world's champion at the weight. "He feinted, blocked and counter-punched like a master. He was quick to take advantage of his openings and seldom punched twice to the same spot. He kept switching his target and Headley would no sooner cover up in one spot than Gordon would fire away at another. That's smart fighting.

JIMMY McLARNIN

"And they can say what they like about Gordon not being able to 'take it.' I've known him since he was a baby, almost, and he has always been a tough boy.

"Headley was no set-up. He is a good, tough boy and well conditioned. Men like that take a lot of wearing down, but Gordie went the right way about it. Both Wallace and Headley are big and rangy for welterweights. They're nice clean fighters and it's a pleasure to see them work.

"Wallace, I think, proved he can take care of himself in any company. Properly handled, I look for him to go a long way.

"A return bout with Headley, maybe over fifteen rounds, wouldn't do Gord any harm. He needs roughing up a bit and Headley is strong enough to give it to him, though not sufficiently smart to beat him."

SCORED AS KAYO

Despite the fact Headley was knocked from the ring in the deciding eighth round and failed to get back before the count of ten, official opinion here was that Wallace won by a knockout and not by a technical knockout. George McLaughlin, one of the judges, stated it was scored as a knockout.

"I have no alibis," Headley said today. "I lost my balance in the eighth round. The count seemed very short."

Wallace declared he was not really hurt during the fight.

"I never really stopped a tough one," he said. "He couldn't really hit."

Gordon carried a swelling around the left eye, however, and he admitted, "I guess he did get in one fast one—somewhere about the third wasn't it? But I didn't feel it at the time, really."

MAY BE MATCHED

Indications were that Headley might be matched in two weeks with "Sonny" Jones, colored Vancouver lightweight, who is reported willing to step out of his class. The winner of a fight between these two might be matched with Wallace.

Promoter Jack Allen was also reported planning for a title match between Wallace and the winner of Friday's fight at Toronto between Tommy Bland and Frankie Genovese.

THIRTY-THREE ARE ELIGIBLE

Several High-Class Trotters Named for Running of Annual Classic

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP).—Thirty-three trotters are still eligible for the rich Hambletonian Stakes, which will be renewed for the tenth time during the grand circuit meeting at Goshen, N.Y., in August.

A payment of $250 was made on each colt or filly January 1. With ten more eligibles than at the same time last year, the stake is expected to gross close to $35,000, compared to $25,000 in 1934, when Dr. H. M. Parshall, Urbana, Ohio, drove Lord Jim to victory.

The field includes all the leading two-year-old trotters of last year. Heading the list is Lawrence Hanover from the LaSalle Stable, of Chicago, which hung up a world's record of 2:02 for juveniles trotting against time at Lexington last Fall.

Also among the eligibles are E. J. Baker's Greyhound, of St. Charles, Ill., with a mark of 2:04 3-4; Silver King, the leading two-year-old money winner, from E. J. Merkle's Columbus, Ohio, Stable, and W. N. Reynolds' Belvedere, of Winston-Salem, N.C.

League Matches Carded Saturday in Local Soccer

FIRST and second-place elevens will clash in the feature match on the Victoria and District Football League programme this Saturday. Saanich Thistles, present leaders, will meet Victoria West, second-place occupants, in the main attraction at Heywood Avenue grounds, with J. C. Dowds handling the whistle. Out at Bullen Park, Esquimalt will be at home to Victoria City, with Ralph Alcock blowing the whistle. Both matches will commence at 2:30, and two interesting encounters should be witnessed by the soccer public.

WEST INDIES LEADING IN TEST MATCH

Rain Helps Home Eleven to Lead Over Touring English Cricketers

BRIDGETOWN, Barbados, Jan. 9 (CP).—Rain today helped the West Indies cricket team emerge from the first innings of their first test match against touring Marylebone Cricket Club, of England, with a majority of 21 runs.

The island colonials team went out late in the afternoon to score 33 runs for the loss of three wickets in their second innings.

After losing two wickets for no runs on a slippery, rain-soaked pitch, England declared their innings with seven men out for 81. Hampered by the same inclemency of weather the West Indians had only compiled 102 in their first innings yesterday.

SHORT STAND

After waiting all day for puddles on the field to dry, players finally took up positions at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The final part of England's innings today lasted just seven minutes and saw three balls bowled. On the second ball, hard-hitting Wally Hammond tapped an easy catch to Rolph Grant, one-time resident of Nova Scotia. And on the next ball, Holmes went out to Achong for a duck.

The West Indian batsmen fared badly. Smith captured the first three batsmen in his first two overs which were both maidens.

Swimmer Denies She Will Reside On the Mainland

MOOSE JAW, Sask., Jan. 9 (CP).—"It's incorrect," Miss Phyllis Dewar, Moose Jaw swimming queen of the British Empire, laughingly said today when shown a dispatch from Vancouver saying she would shortly leave Moose Jaw to become a member of the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club and train under Percy Norman, well known coast instructor. She said she had not made any plans for the future.

POWERFUL SQUAD TO FACE VARSITY HERE AT ATHLETIC PARK

Several New Faces Will Make Appearance on Victoria Side for Opening Match in McKechnie Cup Series Against Varsity—Students Will Be Strong

New material, new plays and a well-conditioned and confident Victoria "rep" Rugby fifteen will face the University of British Columbia in the opening match of the annual McKechnie Cup series, which gets under way at the Royal Athletic Park, Saturday afternoon, at 2:45, with C. E. Ley handling the whistle. The Capital City's aggregation was announced yesterday by Manager Bob McInnes, veteran mentor of the J.B.A.A. fifteen. At the same time the starting line-up of the visiting Point Grey institution was released, and when you glance at the respective personnels it can be easily seen that two evenly-balanced squads will march on the field in the important engagement.

Eight members of the strong 5th Regiment team will be seen in the local uniform, while two from the J.B.A.A., Navy and Canadian Scottish, and one from the Garrison will comprise the representative side. Commander Nixon, clever Navy forward, was elected captain, while Ernie Butterworth, one of the best educators of the English code in Canada, will guide the team from the side lines, assisted by Manager McInnes. The selection committee was forced to reach into the intermediate league to complete their back division, picking out H. Anderson, Scottish player, for the three-quarter line.

STRONG SQUAD

Complete squad follows: McInnes (5th Regiment), fullback; H. Anderson (Scottish), Fleming (5th Regiment), P. Rowe (5th Regiment) and B. Simpson (5th Regiment), three-quarters; Brown (J.B.A.A.) and Stipe (5th Regiment halves; Teskey (Garrison), Peard (J.B.A.A.), Engleson (5th Regiment), Nixon (Navy), Doswell (5th Regiment), Peden (5th Regiment), Bankes (Scottish) and A. Briggs (Navy), forwards. Ed De Blacquiere, of the 5th Regiment, and Alex Gaunt, from the same team, are first string reserves. This scrum averages about 185 pounds, just about the same as Varsity.

Eight of the Varsity's squad are former Vancouver Island oval ball players who have "made good" at the Point Grey institution, and on Saturday they will return to the local Rugby front, but this time as members of the Mainland team.

THE VISITORS

Brief sketches of the members of the squad follows:

S. Griffen, fullback.—Learned his Rugby at Prince of Wales High School. Has been playing fullback for the first string squad since their first two encounters.

J. Burd, three-quarter.—Learned his Rugby and three "R's" at Shawnigan Lake School. Has been playing senior Rugby since his first week at Varsity. Fast and a deadly tackler. Wing three-quarter.

J. Roberts, three-quarter.—One of the outstanding middle distance runners in the track club. Played an excellent game at end for the Canadian Rugby team. Started his Varsity Rugby career against Ex-Britannia. From Victoria College.

A. Mercer, three-quarter — Received his high school and Rugby education at University School, Victoria. In his junior year he broke into senior company as a freshman and has been going stronger ever since.

S. Legatt, three-quarter — Leanrangy backfield ace. One of the fastest-moving men in Varsity Rugby. From University School, Victoria.

T. S. Roxborough, five-eighths (captain)—Graduate of Oxford University. Formerly played with the championship North Shore Blacks. Received his Rugby education in the Old Country, where, at one time, played for the "Watsonians," at present undefeated in the Scottish Rugby League. One of the fastest and best five-eighths ever to play on Vancouver Rugby fields.

H. Robson, halfback—Former Victoria "rep" player. Came to U.B.C from Victoria College. His stellar playing in the stand-off half position has been one of the big reasons for Varsity's excellent showing this year.

J. Harrison, forward—Melbourne's gift to Varsity Rugby. Second year in senior company. John received his Rugby education in an Australian game which combines certain features of Rugby and football.

J. Mitchell, forward—Vice-captain of Varsity's fifteen. Received his early Rugby training at Brentwood College, Vancouver Island. One of the outstanding scrum men in the city. His sixth year in senior company with Varsity and Ex-King George. Hook in the scrum.

R. Gross, forward—Returned to Varsity this year after working a year. Won his big block two years ago as a freshman for his excellent playing in the scrum. A hard-fighting man from King Edward.

R. Upward, forward — A scrum man from Victoria College. Rangy Ron is a distinct asset to the blue and gold squad. A hard-fighting player. Second year with the senior team.

W. Morkss, forward — Formerly played for Ex-Technical. A big, rangy forward, who keeps on the ball all the time.

H. Pearson, forward — Demon break-away man. The despair of opposing stand-off halves. Vice-captain of last year's team. Three times winner of big block.

E. Senkler, forward—Only man in the university last year to win his big block in two sports, Canadian and English Rugby. From University School, Victoria. An experienced man who just recently started to turn out for the handling code. His red, hair indicates his fighting spirit.

E. Maguire, forward—Curly-headed boxer and English Rugby player. One of the outstanding scrum men on the Varsity team. Fast, and he uses his not so small bulk to advantage. From Kitsilano High School.

J. Pyle, spare—His second year in senior company. In his freshman year he starred on the second division team. From Lord Byng High School.

JUVENILE SOCCER HEADS APPOINTED

W. J. Pynn Elected President of Lower Island Commission—Other Officers Named

William J. "Bill" Pynn, energetic president of the Royal Juvenile Athletic Association, was yesterday evening named as head of the Lower Island Juvenile Football League, held in The Colonist board room.

Percy Shrimpton, veteran netminder and soccer referee, was elected vice-president, while Ted Taylor was appointed secretary-treasurer. Allan Pynn, registrar of the Royal Juvenile Athletic Association, was named to fill this post with the soccer body.

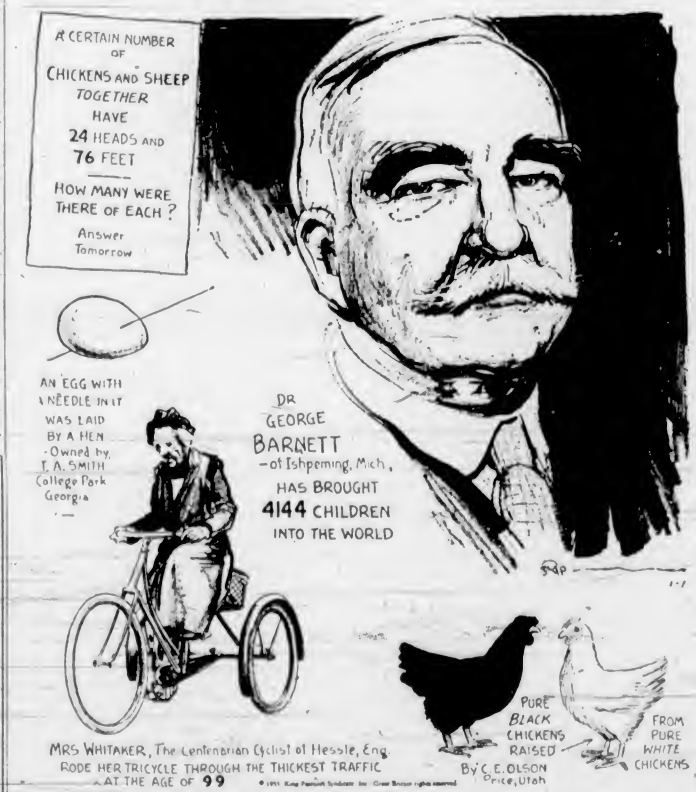
Sid Thomas, a member of the Royal Juvenile Athletic Association executive, was appointed district representative to the British Columbia Juvenile Football Commission.

Canadiens Get Gagnon

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—Before leaving tonight for New York, Leo Dandurand, manager and part owner of Canadiens of the National Hockey League, announced that the club had purchased Johnny Gagnon from Boston Bruins and the "Chicoutimi Black Cat" is expected to play for Canadiens against Toronto, next Thursday.

Gagnon, regular right-winger with the French club for some years, was traded to Boston Bruins during the past Summer for Joe Lamb, since transferred to St. Louis. The present deal for his return, closed by telephone between Dandurand and Art Ross, today, is a straight cash transaction.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - - *By Ripley*



EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Lotta's Fountain—The $10,000 fountain donated by and named after Lotta Crabtree, famous actress, stands in a central location in the City of San Francisco and was erected with the gold nuggets and $50 gold slugs which miners tossed at Lotta's feet in appreciation of her acting.

Lotta was born in New York in 1847 and went to California in 1853 to join her father who had preceded her in the gold rush of the early fifties. She made her first stage appearance in Rabbit Creek, a Californian mining settlement, when she was eight. When she died in 1924 she left a fortune of $4,000,000 which she bequeathed to charity.

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His Boss Likes Him

HUDSON'S BAY CAPTURES HAYWARD CUP SERIES

Defeat Maccabees 4-1 to Win Trophy In Midweek League

Three-Goal Victory Over Clubmen Settles First Competition in Wednesday Football League—Brown Nets Two Tallies—Spencers Blank Outer Wharf Eleven

HAYWARD CUP SERIES
(Final Standing)

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Hudson's Bay	7	1	2	16
Navy	6	3	0	12
Garrison	5	3	1	11
Spencer's	4	3	3	11
Rangers	3	6	1	7
Maccabees	0	9	1	1

Defeating the Maccabees, 4-1, yesterday afternoon, at Beacon Hill upper ground, in the final game of the Hayward Cup schedule, Manager Dick Eaton's green and gold sweatered Hudson's Bay soccer eleven, gained possession of the coveted trophy for the next twelve months. Garrison, last season's winner of the cup, finished in third place.

In the other match played, Spencer's blanked the Outer Wharf Rangers, 2-0, at Heywood Avenue. Fair crowds witnessed the fixtures.

Navy, second berth occupants, have a postponed game with the Garrison, but as the outcome will have no bearing on the disposition of the trophy, the fixture is not expected to be played.

With the winners of the Hayward Cup named, play for the Pendray Cup, symbolic of the Wednesday Football League championship, will open next week. The draw for the first round and other important matters dealing with the mid-week loop, will be discussed at a special meeting Monday evening, in the Colonist board room, at 7:30 o'clock.

BAYS COME THROUGH

Breaking a 1-1 deadlock with the final half still a "baby," and then continuing on to score twice more before the last whistle, Hudson's Bay came through against the Maccabees by a 4-1 score on the upper pitch at Beacon Hill Park in a somewhat ragged exhibition. However, the teams must be forgiven in part for they have been out of action for exactly a month, due to the Yuletide season. Miskicking and poor manoeuvring were frequent and the kick and rush type of soccer held the spotlight throughout the ninety minutes.

Taking up the attack from the opening kick-off, the departmentals had a decided edge in the early minutes and were continually hovering around the Maccabees' net but without results. Harris, losers' goalie, was the busiest man on the field and made some fine saves from a determined Bay front line, which, by the way, was bolstered by the inclusion at centre forward of Harold Sage, former Saanich Thistles' player.

For the first twenty minutes, Baxter, Bay net minder, never had a thing to do as his mates were constantly on the offensive. Jimmy Oakman, skipper of the greenshirts, nearly broke the ice, but his whistling shot, which carried tremendous speed, just grazed the framework after Fish had crossed from the right lane. After Harris had made some fine stops, Buzz Brown finally put the Bays in the lead when he tapped in a roller from the left wing. The goalie had little chance to avert a score.

MAKES FINE SAVE

Ten minutes later, Les Kennedy made Harris act quickly when he let go with a powerful drive from outside the restricted area. Harris just got his hands on the ball and slapped it out. The Maccabees broke away twice but soon were repulsed, and then again they got away and a foul was whistled against Goalie Baxter when he came out of his net to clear a foul kick taken by Fieldhouse. Baxter punched the ball and pushed Wilmshurst at the same time and a penalty resulted. Wilmshurst took the spot kick, and Baxter made a great save by reaching to the ground, but Wilmshurst, quick to take advantage, banged in the rebound to knot the score. The result was still the same at the interval.

The second half was just in its infancy when the Bays assumed the lead, Wally Stewart, left winger, registering a beautiful goal with a lovely shot from his position. After several minutes of up and down the field tactics, the Bays widened the gap when Sage soloed through the defence, drew out the goalie, and planted the ball into an empty goal. It was a fine piece of individual work.

INCREASES LEAD

With the Bays up the field, the Maccabees broke away and Wally Graves crossed over beautifully, but Baxter came out, intercepted nicely, and kicked clear. Mitchell was playing a hard game for the Maccabees but the rest of his front line appeared disorganized and therefore his work was fruitless. Before the finish the Bays made it 4-1 when Buzz Brown slapped home Les Kennedy's shot toward goal from close quarters.

McMillan refereed and teams follow:

Maccabees — Harris; T Graves Speller; Embrey, Fieldhouse, McBride; Garnott, Mitchell, Wilmshurst, Chapman and W. Graves.

Hudson's Bay—Baxter; O'Connell, Okell; Wyatt, Kennedy, Williamson; Fish, Brown, Sage, Oakman and Stewart.

SPENCER'S BLANK RANGERS

Scoring once in each half, with Charlie Luxton and Art Chapman sharing the honors, Spencer's registered a 2-0 victory over the Outer Wharf Rangers, in a fixture that was featured by the brilliant work of Ken Fleming and "Red" McMillan, opposing goalies.

Forced to trot out Danny Telfer and McConnell, former Saturday League players, at a moment's notice, to complete their line-up, Rangers had to concede the points to the departmental store eleven and played an exhibition game.

Spencer's opened the scoring in the early stages of the initial half when Charlie Luxton beat Fleming, Rangers' goalie, at close range. It was the only score of the first half.

The final marker of the match came after about fifteen minutes play in the second half when Art Chapman scored with a beautiful shot in the corner of the net.

Alcock refereed, and the teams follow:

Spencer's — McMillan, Munroe, Cann, Moir, Chapman, Bissell, Browne, D. Bradley, Clarke, Luxton and L. Bradley.

Rangers—Fleming, Gelling, Eastwood, Roskamp, McConnell, White, Ball, Rice, Telfer, Anderson and Bourne.

SPORT SNAPSHOTS

Sits to Play—Scoring an 83, Bill Glancey Shoots an Entire Round at Miami, Sitting on a Chair for Each Shot.

Mrs. Tunney Shops — Mrs. Gene Tunney, the Former Polly Lauder, Goes on a Shopping Trip in New York Stores.

Intercollegiate — In Winter Intercollegiate Swimming Meets, Captain U. Balcom Grannis, Jr., of Princeton, Is a Star.

N.H.L. STATISTICS

National Hockey League leaders follow:

CANADIAN SECTION

Section: Toronto; won 16, lost 5, tied 1, points 33.

Points: H. Jackson, Toronto; 17 goals, 7 assists, 24 points.

Goals: H. Jackson, Toronto; 17.

Assists: C. Conacher, Toronto; 12.

Penalties: R. Horner, Toronto; 53 minutes.

Shutouts: Hainsworth, Toronto, 4; O'Connell, Montreal, 4.

AMERICAN SECTION

Section: Chicago; won 12, lost 7, tied 2, points 26.

Points: Aurie, Detroit; 7 goals, 14 assists, 21 points.

Goals: Clapper, Boston; 11.

Assists: Aurie, Detroit; 14.

Penalties: Coulter, Chicago; 34 minutes.

Shutouts: Chabot, Chicago, 5; Thompson, Bruins, 5.

RUGBY WORKOUT

J.B.A.A. Rugby team will hold a workout at the Royal Athletic Park this evening at 7 o'clock. All players are asked to attend.

SAANICH NET MEET OPENS

Play First-Round Matches in Badminton Championships at Brentwood

Play in the annual Saanich badminton championships opened Tuesday evening at the Brentwood Hall. Twenty-two matches were played in the women's and men's doubles, and the mixed handicap doubles.

Tonight's programme will get under way at 7 o'clock with a number of matches in the singles and the doubles down for decision. Play will continue tomorrow, with the finals billed for Saturday.

Tuesday's results and this evening's draw follows:

MIXED OPEN DOUBLES

Miss P. Sluggett and A. Francis beat Mrs. R. Carrier and D. Godwin, 15-8, 15-8.

Miss B. Beaumont and C. Tolson beat Mrs. Ismay and S. Skillings, 15-10, 15-10.

Miss Woodward and P. Hope beat Miss B. Murdock and W. Murdock, 15-7, 15-7.

Miss J. Thomson and R. Bagley beat Miss McGowan and R. Knott, 15-12, 15-11.

MIXED HANDICAP DOUBLES

Miss A. Styan and W. Watt beat Miss A. Book and G. Whittaker, 15-10, 15-12.

Miss McGowan and D. Wadell beat Miss P. Garrard and Major W. Garrard, 15-14, 15-11.

Miss B. Beaumont and J. Watt beat Miss D. McIlimoyle and H. Jones, 15-7, 15-12.

Mrs. Ismay and S. Skillings beat Miss Jost and H. Haan, 15-7, 15-12.

Miss J. Thomson and M. Atkins beat Miss Thompson and Mr. Thompson, 15-12, 15-11.

Miss Murdock and D. Godwin beat Miss O. Gilman and F. Gilman, 15-6, 15-6.

Miss J. Thomson and R. Bagley beat Miss O. Gilman and J. Carrier, 15-4, 15-7.

MEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES

T. Walker and A. Broadfoot beat J. E. Sladen and Major W. Garrard, 15-9, 13-15, 15-7.

J. Watt and W. Watt beat B. Wright and G. Oakes, 15-10, 13-15, 15-14.

C. Sluggett and R. Bagley beat C. Woodward and F. Airale, 15-9, 15-6.

M. Atkins and A. Glew beat D. Harvey and T. Morgan, 15-10, 15-8.

D. Wadell and R. Knott beat D. Woodward and A. Francis, 15-5, 15-14.

V. Graham and H. Haan beat C. Tolson and R. Ballantyne, 3-15, 15-2, 15-10.

P. Hope and S. Skillings beat R. Carrier and W. Murdock, 15-4, 15-3.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES

Mrs. H. Andrew and Miss B. Murdock beat Miss Gwynn and Miss Belson, 15-8, 15-6.

Miss O. Gilman and Mrs. R. Carrier beat Miss A. Styan and Miss C. Wright, 15-6, 15-6.

Mrs. Ismay and Miss McAnally beat Miss C. Cochrane and Miss G. Cochrane, 15-4, 5-15, 15-8.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

7:00—D. Woodward vs. A. Francis, Miss N. Woodward vs. Miss J. Thomson, W. Murdock vs. R. Carrier.

7:30—Mrs. Gilmore and C. Woodward vs. Mrs. H. Andrew and Mr. Barber, J. E. Sladen vs. W. Garrard, Miss M. Sluggett vs. Miss A. Styan.

8:00—Miss B. Murdock vs. Miss O. Gilman, Miss P. Sluggett and A. Francis vs. Miss B. Beaumont and C. Tolson, M. Atkins and A. Glew vs. R. Bagley and C. Sluggett.

8:30—C. Douglas vs. D. Waddell, Miss D. Beattie and G. Douglas vs. Miss P. Jones and G. McIlimoyle, Miss B. Garrard and P. Garrard vs. Mrs. Baker and Miss Jost.

9:00—Miss M. Sluggett and C. Douglas vs. Mrs. Godwin and R. Sparks, F. Airale vs. R. Knott, V. Graham vs. P. Hope.

9:30—Miss B. Garrard and C. Tolson vs. Miss R. Book and E. Oakes, Miss P. Sluggett and D. Woodward vs. Mrs. Carrier and J. E. Sladen, G. Barber and D. Godwin vs. E. Beattie and G. Douglas.

10:00—P. Hope and C. Douglas vs. A. Francis and C. Tolson, Mrs. Andrew and Miss B. Murdock vs. Mrs. Carrier and Miss J. Thomson, R. Bagley and D. Godwin vs. S. Skillings and R. Knott.

10:30—Winners of Miss D. Beattie and G. Douglas vs. Miss P. Jones and G. McIlimoyle, winners of Mrs. Gilmore and C. Woodward vs. Mrs. Andrew and G. Barber, Miss M Sluggett and R. Knott vs. Miss J. Thomson and M. Atkins, winners of Waddell vs. Douglas vs. winners of D. Woodward vs. A. Francis.

Stellar Defenceman of Canadiens

ROGER JENKINS

WHO came to Montreal Canadiens from Chicago Black Hawks in the important preseason trading, has proved himself just about the best of the Frenchmen's defensive brigade. Jenkins is playing heads-up hockey both on the attack and defending Wilf Cude despite the Canadiens' slow start.

St. Louis Signs Maritime Player

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 9 (AP).—Coach Buck Boucher, of St. Louis Eagles, National Hockey League team, announced today that Pete Kelly, former Winnipegger, and right winger of the Charlottetown, P.E.I., club, of the Maritime League, has been signed to play with the Eagles.

Kelly, twenty-two, is leading the Maritime circuit in scoring. He will join the Eagles in New York next Sunday.

Laird Watt and Bobby Murray, youthful Canadian Davis Cup tennis players, have been invited to compete in the Bermuda lawn tennis tournament in February.

AVERAGES OF TENPIN LOOP ARE RELEASED

Morrison, Page, Ozard and Paulding Leaders in Commercial League

First-half averages of the three sections of the Commercial Tenpin Bowling League at the Olympic Alleys were released yesterday. Morrison, C.N.R. trundler leads the "A" division with an average of 191. In second place is Elwood, of the Hustlers, with a mark of 187, while the veteran Frank Moore is in third place, one pin behind Elwood.

With an average of 183, Page, of the Gascos, is the leader in the "B" section, with Bowden, Gyros, second, with an average of 176. Morley, of Kent's, was secure in third place with 175.

Ozard and Paulding, of the Northwestern trundlers, are deadlocked in first place in the "C" section, each with a mark of 1[illegible]. Sid Jenkins, The Times, is third with 180.

Complete averages follow:

A SECTION

Morrison	191
Elwood	187
Moore	186
MacKenzie	183
Harold	182
Simmons	177
Stock	178
Swaluk	175
Heathfield	172
Semple	170
Hilton	170
MacDiarmind	170
Dunnett	164
Kerr	162
Woolston	162
Angus	162
Benwell	162
Ferneyhough	161
Hill	161
Leach	160
Macpherson	158
Wrigley	157
Palin	157
Venables	155
Johns	155
Hearn	154
Murdon	154
Wilf	150
Todd	150
Stewart	150
Gilbert	132
Tebo	132
MacGeary	128
Herr	127
Walker	122
Peterson	102

Team Play

Highest Three Games—Hustlers, 3,046 pins.

Highest Single Game—Hustlers, 1,028 pins.

Individual Play

Highest Three Games—Harold, C.N.R., 649 pins.

Highest Single Game—Swaluk, Wilfert, 247 pins.

B SECTION

Page	183
Bowden	176
Morley	175
Wass	172
Goodman	171
McClellan	171
Straith	170
MacNeill	169
Kent	169
Parsell	169
D. Peden	169
W. Peden	168
Fulton	165
MacGregor	163
Jones	163
Bolt	159
W. Mowatt	159
Newton	155
Rows	153
Thompson	147
Todd	144
Draper	143
Taylor	142
Peden	140
D. S. Mowatt	139
MacKierphan	136
Bruce	129
Roach	106
MacDonald	105

Team Play

Highest Three Games—Gyros, 2,668 pins.

Highest Single Game—Gyros, 1,018 pins.

Individual Play

Highest Three Games — Page, Gascos, 633 pins.

Highest Single Game—Morley, Kent's, 279 pins.

C SECTION

Ozard	181
Paulding	181
Jenkins	180
Lawson	179
Young	177
Leetham	174
Caddell	171
Jenlome	171
Dillabough	169
Smith	167
Crawford	165
Norton	164
Cliff	163
Brines	161
Perrie	160
Cole	159
Millar	158
Knott	156
Dickerson	153
Mallick	153
Carter	152
Way	151
D. Mowatt	151
Knox	138
Collins	137

Team Play

Highest Three Games — Northwestern, [illegible] pins.

Highest Single Game — Northwestern, [illegible] pins.

Individual Play

Highest Three Games—Leetham, MacDonalds, 617 pins.

Highest Single Game—Norton, Northwestern, 253 pins.

West Road Basketball

Three hoop games will be played at the West Road Hall, tomorrow evening, as follows:

West Road senior "C" men vs. Old-Timers.

West Road intermediates vs. Kingham-Gillespie.

West Road girls vs. Adverts.

The first game is billed to start at 8 o'clock. Dancing will follow the basketball games. Refreshments will be served.

'BAMA HAS FINE RECORD

Under Coach Frank Thomas, the University of Alabama football team has lost only four games of thirty-seven played in the last four seasons. One was a tie, with Mississippi.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Security Prices Move Aimlessly At Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP).—Stock prices fluttered aimlessly today. A mid-day strengthening failed to follow through, and changes were mixed at the close, with most gains and losses confined to fractions.

Oil stocks continued to reflect the nervousness of traders over the possibility that the United States Supreme Court's decision declaring the production control section of the National Recovery Act unconstitutional might result in a flood of "hot" oil.

Tobacco shares were a soft spot. United States Steel common and preferred were fractionally down, while other leaders in this division were steady or registered minor gains.

Trading totaled 880,000 shares.

Among leaders which registered improvement of fractions to a point or more were Westinghouse Electric at 40, Allied Chemical at 138 1-2, General Electric at 23, New York Central at 20 7-8, Union Carbide at 47 3-8, and Northern Pacific at 20 5-8.

Many others showed losses of small amounts to a point or so, including American Can at 114 1-2, Atchison at 54 3-4, International Harvester at 41 7-8, National Biscuit at 8 3-4, Southern Pacific at 18, and Union Pacific at 109.

The bond market was a highly selective affair. First-grade corporate and Government bonds showed further improvement. Other groups were irregular.

German 5 1-2's gained 2 points at 33 1-2, and the Dawes 7's were that much higher at 45. Other sections of the foreign list were quiet.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chemicals	139-4		126-4
American Can	115-4	114-8	114-6
American For. Power	4-7	4-6	4-7
American Smelter	28-7	39-3	26-4
American Sugar	87		87
American Tel.	106-5	104-5	105-3
American Tobacco	98	85-2	85-2
American Waterworks	14-9	14-4	14-4
Anaconda Copper	12	11-9	11-5
Atchison Railway	54-7	53-5	54-2
Atlantic Refining	24-7	24-5	24-5
Auburn	28-4	27-4	27-5
B. & O. Railway	14-7	14-2	14-4
Beth. Steel	34	22-1	34
Borden	24-7	24-8	24
Borg Warner	30-3		20-3
Briggs	28-7	28-3	28-4
Cal. Pack.	39-1	39	39
C.P.R.	13-8	12-5	13-5
Case, J. I.	99	97-9	59-2
Cerras de Passo	46-2	49-3	45-2
C. & O. Railway	48	44-9	49
Chrysler	40-9	40	40-1
Comm. Solvent	23-2	23-1	23-1
Con. Gas	20-9	19-3	20-6
Cont. Oil	17-7	17-5	17-6
Dome	39-4	38-7	39-4
Douglas Aircraft	23-9	23-2	23-4
Dupont	97-4	96-1	96-4
Eastman Kodak	117-4	119-9	117
El. Auto Lite	27-7	27-2	27-4
Freeport Texas	25	24-7	25
General Food	34-2	32-4	33-7
General Electric	33-1	22-9	22
General Motors	32-7	32-3	33-6
Great West Sugar	39-1	..	29-1
Goodyear	25-8	25-1	25-4
Great Western	18-7	16-4	16-6
Howe Sound	81	90-2	50-2
Hudson	11-5	11-1	11-3
Hupmobile	3-3	..	3-3
Ind. Rayon	32-4	31-7	32-4
Harvester	42-2	41-7	42
Nickel	24	23-7	24
Int. Tel.	9-9	9-2	9-5
Johns-Manville	55-4	54-3	54-3
Kennecot Copper	17-7	17-3	17-4
Kresge	21-3	21	21
L. & M. Tobacco	107		107
Liquid Carbonic	30-8	30	30
Loew's	32-4	32-3	33-4
Lorrilard	21	20-5	20-9
Mack Truck	37-2	27	27
McIntyre	42-5	42	42
Mex. Sea Oil	25-1	24-7	24-7
Montgomery Ward	29-8	29-1	39-2
Nash	18-1	17-5	17-7
Nat. Distillers	29	27-9	27-7
Nat. Dairy	18-7	16-5	16-8
New York Central	31	19-9	20-7
North American	12-3	13-1	13-3
Northern Pacific	20-7	20-3	20-4
Ohio Oil	10	9-9	9-6
Packard	9-3	8-1	9-2
Patino	12-2	11-8	11-7
J. C. Penny	73	72-4	72-4
Penn Railway	24-4	24-1	24-2
People's Gas	22-4	21-1	21-1
Pullman	33-7	31-3	31-3
Radio	5-2	5-1	5-1
Rem. Rand	11	10-8	10-7
Rep. Iron & Steel	15-2	14-9	15
Reynolds Tob.	50-7	50-4	50-4
Schenley Brew.	27-2	26-4	36-7
Sears Roebuck	39-4	39-1	39-1
Shell	7-4	7-2	7-2
South Porto	22	20-8	21
South Pacific	18-3	17-7	19
South. Cal. Ed.	13-2	11-8	12-3
Standard Gas	4-3	4	4
Standard Oil, Cal.	31-2	30-5	30-5
Standard Oil, N.J.	42-5	42-1	42-3
Socony Vacuum	14-4	14	14
Studebaker	3	2-5	2-6
Texas Corp.	20-4	20-1	20-2
Texas Gulf	34-4	34-3	34-4
Timken	20-2	33-9	35-6
Trans-America	5-9	5-8	5-9
United Gas & Imp.	12-7	12-4	12-8
Union Carbide	47-3	48-6	47-3
Union Oil, Cal.	15-6	15-3	15-6
Union Pacific	110-2	109	109
United Airways	14-3	13-7	14-1
U.S. Alcohol	43		43
U.S. Steel	29-4	38-4	39-1
U.S. Smelting	122-3	121-6	122
Vanadium	20-7	20-4	20-7
Warner Bros.	4-1		4-1
Westinghouse	40-3	39-1	40
Western Union	34	33-2	33-6
Woolworth	54-7	53-4	53-6
Wright Aed	50-9	50	90-6

Gabriel	60	..
McLeod-Cockshutt	.06½	.07½
Smelters Gold	.18	.18
Toburn	1.35	1.40

TORONTO MINES LITTLE CHANGED

Price Range Is Narrow and Gains and Losses Offset One Another

TORONTO, Jan. 9 (CP).—The mining section of the Toronto Exchange had no preference as to directions today, and the general level showed little change at the close.

Announcement of a proposed increase of capital sent God's Lake down 12 cents at 1.77. Losses up to 6 cents appeared in San Antonio, Sylvanite and Howe. Siscoe, McKenzie, Bradian and Ventures closed higher.

Bobjo eased 1, and Canadian Malartic 4 1-2. Wayside firmed.

Teck-Hughes and Bralorne were active in the big gold group, the former holding steady and the latter sagging 25 to 10.25.

Pioneer dropped 10. Base metal issues were slow. Castle and White Eagle added fractions.

(Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	20½	.31
Alas	90	.95
Alexandria	.02⅝	.02½
Bagamac	.10	.10½
Base Metals	.65	.70
Bear Exploration	.19	.20
Beattie	3.05	3.10
Big Missouri	.36	.37
Bobjo	.32	.32
Bradian	2.25	2.35
Bralorne	10.10	10.40
B.R.X.	.19	.19½
Buffalo Ankerite	2.75	2.80
Canadian Malartic	.58	.60
Cariboo	1.38	1.45
Castle-Trethaway	.82	.84
Central Patricia	1.20	1.21
Chemical Research	2.25	2.28
Coast Copper	2.25	2.75
Coniaurum	2.30	2.37
Dome	38.50	39.00
Eldorado	1.27	1.28
Falconbridge	3.40	3.45
God's Lake	1.77	1.78
Granada	.12½	.14
Greenstabel	.37	.40
Gunnar	.13½	.14
Hollinger	19.80	20.10
Home Oil	.88	.89
Howey	1.00	1.03
Hudson Bay	13.50	13.10
Jackson Manion	.15	.18
Kirkland Lake	.80	.83
Lakeshore	53.50	54.00
Lee	.03½	.03¾
Little Long Lac	8.80	8.85
Macassa	2.55	2.58
Maple Leaf	.12½	.13
Manitoba & Eastern	.09	.09⅝
McIntyre	41.80	42.50
McKenzie Red Lake	1.39	1.40
McVittie-Graham	.32	.33
McWatters	.43½	.54
Mining Corporation	1.20	1.32
International Nickel	23.62½	23.75
Nipissing	2.80	2.63
Noranda	34.50	34.75
Parkhill	.33½	.25
Paymaster	.19½	.20
Pend Oreille	.55	.70
Pickle Crow	2.42	3.44
Pioneer	10.50	10.75
Premier	1.54	1.57
Reid-Authier	.87	.85
Reno	1.34	1.35
Roche Long Lac	.07	.07⅛
Royalite	19.50	19.00
San Antonio	4.35	4.60
Sherritt-Gordon	.53	.55
Siscoe	2.71	3.72
St. Anthony	.32½	.34½
Sudbury Basin	1.35	1.40
Sylvanite	2.49	2.50
Teck-Hughes	3.96	4.00
Ventures	1.00	1.02
Wayside	.09	.09½
White Eagle	.09⅝	.08⅞
Wright-Hargreaves	9.19	9.20
Bank Field	.95	.99

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP).—Foreign exchange firm. Quotations in cents.
France—Demand 9.62; cables 9.62.
Italy—Demand 8.59; cables 8.59.
Demand:
Belgium—23.49.
Germany—40.25.
Holland—67.88.
Norway—24.74.
Sweden—25.39.
Denmark—21.99.
Finland—2.19½.
Switzerland—32.50.
Spain—13.72.
Portugal—4.47.
Greece—.94.
Poland—18.94.
Czechoslovakia—4.19½.
Jugoslavia—2.29.
Austria—18.91.
Hungary—29.80.
Rumania—1.01.
Argentina—32.73.
Brazil—8.65.
Tokio—28.75.
Shanghai—34.87½.
Hongkong—42.12½.
Mexico City (silver peso)—27.85.
Montreal—In New York 100.78.
New York—In Montreal 99.25.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Demand 4.92¼; cables 4.92¼; sixty-day bills 4.91½.

WHEAT PRICES DIP FRACTIONS

Futures Lose Ground in Dull Trading—Export Sales Are Light

WINNIPEG, Jan. 9 (CP).—Trading in wheat futures fell into the doldrums again on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today, following the brief impetus given Tuesday by the renewal of foreign demand for Canadian wheat.

Export sales today comprised only one cargo from Vancouver, the lull in foreign buying being reflected in quiet trading in the pit. Values closed 1-8 to 5-8 cent lower, May at 84 and July 83 7-8 cents.

Cash and coarse grains were quiet.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	84⅛	84⅛	84¼	83⅞	84
July	84½	84⅛	84⅜	83⅞	83⅞
Oats—					
May	44¼	44¼	44¼	43⅞	44⅛
July	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	44	44
Rye—					
May	91¾	91½	61½	60⅞	91
July	61⅝	61⅝	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
Barley—					
May	57⅛	57⅛	57	56⅝	58⅞
July	..	58⅞	59½	59½	59⅞
Flax—					
May	..	149⅜	149⅜	149½	149⅜
July	..	149	149⅛	149	149

CASH GRAIN

Wheat—No. 1 Hard, 91; 1 Nor., 90; 3 Nor., 78¾; 3 Nor., 73¾; No. 4, 70¼; No. 5, 66; No. 6, 66; feed, 65; track, 90; Amber Durum, No. 1, 89¼; No. 2, 94; No. 3, 80; No. 4, 76; A.R.W., 1, 73.

Flax—1 A.W.C., 148⅜; 2 C.W., 142⅜; 3 C.W., 128⅜; 4 C.W., 138⅜; track, 146⅜.

Oats—3 C.W., 39⅜; Ex. No. 1 feed, 39⅜; No. 1 feed, 27⅜; track, 42¼.

Barley—3 R.O.W., 57⅜; 9 R.O.W., 79⅜; 3 C.W., 53 3-3; 4 C.W., 48⅜; 5 C.W., 48⅜; 9 C.W., 45⅜; track, 53⅞.

Rye—1 C.W., 96; 2 C.W., 59; 3 C.W., 54; rejected No. 2, 50; 4 C.W., 49; track, 87½.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	101⅞	101½	102⅛	101	101⅞
July	93⅞	93⅞	94⅜	92¼	93⅜
Sept.	93⅞	92⅞	95⅜	91½	91⅞
Corn—					
May	91⅞	91⅞	91½	90⅞	90⅞
July	86⅞	86½	89⅞	85⅞	85⅞
Sept.	84½	84⅞	84⅞	83½	82⅞
Oats—					
May	54⅛	84⅜	95	94⅞	51⅞
July	48⅛	48⅛	49⅛	47⅞	47⅞
Sept.	44⅛	44⅞	44⅜	44¼	44⅛
Rye—					
May	..	75½	75⅜	75⅛	75⅞
July	..	74⅜	75¼	74⅜	74⅜
Sept.	..	74½	76	74⅞	74½

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 9 (CP).—Following are today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current sterling exchange rate of $4.89, as supplied by Broomhall:

	Today	Y'day
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, January	95½	95¼
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic, January	92⅝	93¼
No. 3 Man. Northern, Vancouver, January	97½	96⅞
Argentine (Rosafe), January	94½	64½
Argentine (Barusso), January	95⅜	85⅜
Australian (Afloat)	97¼	65⅜
West Australian, January	71	70½
French, January	59½	58⅞

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP).—Bar silver, firmer, 1-4 higher at 24 9-16d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP).—Bar silver, 3-8 higher at 54 5-8.

WHAT'S DOING ON THE LOCAL RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Imperial Valley lettuce, the finest type to be imported here this season, is now rapidly becoming favored around Victoria tables. Imported from California, the lettuce is of high quality and is selling at 10 cents a head or 2 heads for 25 cents.

Imported California celery, of good quality, was received here yesterday and stocked in local wholesalers' warehouses. Prices range from 18 to 20 cents a head.

A car of mixed apples, including Spitzenbergs, Delicious Wagners and Rome Beauties, have been shipped to Victoria and will be placed on local fruit dealers' stores today at varied prices.

Daily shipments of fine quality forced rhubarb are being received here. The rhubarb is selling at 15 cents a pound retail, a quite reasonable price for this time of year. Spinach is being imported in large quantities.

Sweet potatoes are arriving in the city regularly and are retailing at 4 pounds for 25 cents.

An urgent call for Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson to unravel the "Mystery of the Sealed Box Car" was sent out from wholesale row yesterday. The car, which traveled many hundreds of miles supposedly containing 400 sacks of potatoes arrived here empty.

The car was consigned to A. P. Slade & Company from Grand Forks and was routed through Washington. Usual procedure followed the car's arrival here yesterday and a driver was instructed to break the seals on the car. He did and—there were no potatoes.

"Who's playing this dirty trick?" he was reported as saying.

Investigation was opened immediately it was found the car was empty, but at a late hour no clue had been received. Telegraph wires between the Mainland and Victoria burned yesterday and a satisfactory answer to the affair is expected this morning.

MONTREAL SILVER

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—After holding a slightly easier tone for the past two days silver futures on the Canadian Commodity Exchange held steady today as trading quickened following a rise in London. Prices were 10 to 15 points higher than yesterday.

Four contracts changed hands, two May and two September. September closed at 56.50 bid and May at 55.25 bid after sales had been made at 56.93 and 55.25, respectively.

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PRICES STEADY AT VANCOUVER

Bridge River Golds and Base Metals Register Small Gains on Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—Prices steadied in quiet trading on the Vancouver Stock Exchange today and most of the metal shares closed with fair gains.

Bralorne advanced 20 to 10.35 and Bradian was up 15 at 2.35. Gold Belt gained 2 at 37 and Premier Gold firmed 1 point. Reno Gold was off 2 cents and Vidette lost 1 cent at 56. United Empire closed at 7. The rest of the gold shares were fractionally higher.

British Columbia Nickel and Golconda each gained 2 cents at 48 and 38, respectively, and Big Missouri was up 1-2 cent. The silver issues were unchanged.

The oil shares were weaker. Ranchmen's lost 7 at 83 and Calgary & Edmonton was down 4 at 76. Royalite was unchanged at 17.50.

MORNING SALES

Oils

Amalgamated—800 at .08; 500 at .08½.
Mercury—1,000 at .13½.
Anaconda—3,000 at .04; 1,000 at .04¼.
Crow's Nest—2,000 at .06½.
Dalhousie—1,000 at .29.
Freehold—500 at .07; 2,000 at .07½.
Highwood—1,000 at .14½.
Mar Jon—2,000 at .12½.
Mill City—400 at .10.
Pacalta—4,000 at .09; 9,000 at .09.
Ranchmen's—200 at .76; 800 at .90; 500 at .92½; 1,000 at .87; 150 at .91; 500 at .92; 400 at .94; 1,600 at .95.
Royalite—490 at 18.50.
United P.—1,000 at .06½; 500 at .06¾; 3,500 at .07.

Mines

Bradian—700 at 2.30; 300 at 2.31; 300 at 2.35.
Bralorne—310 at 10.35.
B.R.X.—300 at .21.
Cariboo—100 at 1.37.
Meridian—1,400 at .18; 4,900 at .16½.
Morning S.—9,800 at .11½; 1,000 at .11⅛ (b60).
Premier Gold—400 at 1.54.
Reno—2,800 at 1.35.
Sally—100 at .51.
Taylor B.—800 at .34.
Wayside—5,500 at .99.
B.C. Nickel—500 at .47; 500 at .48; 2,000 at .49.
Big Miss.—2,400 at .38.
Congress—500 at .37.
Can. R.—400 at .06; 500 at .08½.
Dictator—1,000 at .09.
Dentonia—800 at .41.
Fairview—2,000 at .18.
Golconda—8,300 at .37.
Orange—9,800 at .20; 300 at .21.
Harculas C.—1,500 at .01⅛; 3,000 at .02.
Home—2,000 at .11½; 5,000 at .12; 10,000 at .12¼ (b60).
Kootenay B.—300 at .69.
Minto—4,000 at .21½; 2,400 at .22.
Noble Five—2,000 at .07.
Pend Oreille—100 at .63.
Porter I.—3,000 at .08¼.
Silversmith—480 at .07.
Salmon—4,000 at .12.
Viking—1,000 at .04; 500 at .04½.
Ymir Yankee Girl—500 at .67; 2,400 at .68.

Industrials

Coast B.—300 at 13.50.
Brew. & Dist.—200 at .90.

AFTERNOON SALES

Oils

C. & E.—1,000 at .78.
Mercury—1,000 at .13.
Home—400 at .86.
Freehold—1,000 at .07.
Merland—600 at .19.
Pacalta—500 at .08½; 2,000 at .08¾; 3,000 at .09 (b-60).
Ranchmen's—300 at .98; 900 at .88; 600 at .90.

Mines

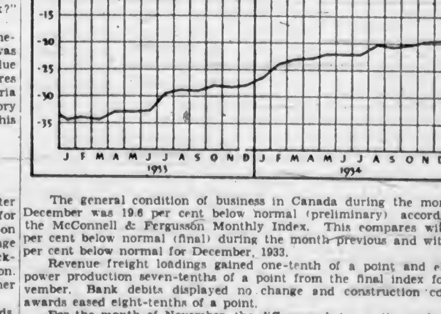
Bradian—100 at 3.30; 490 at 2.38; 100 at 2.38.
Bralorne—100 at 10.35; 100 at 10.40.
B.R.X.—1,000 at .20.
Gold Belt—900 at .37.
Meridian—500 at .18.
Morning Star—1,000 at .11; 3,500 at .12; 2,500 at .12 (b-60).
National Silver—1,500 at .04.
Premier Gold—500 at 1.52.
Reno—800 at 1.34; 750 at 1.38.
Taylor Bridge—100 at .24.
Wayside—500 at .09½.
Bayview—10,000 at .01; 1,000 at .01¼.
B.C. Nickel—500 at .50.
Big Missouri—400 at .35½; 30 at .29.
Golconda—1,500 at .37; 1,000 at .32.
Gold Mountain—1,000 at .07.
Grange—4,000 at .30.
Hercules—3,000 at .01⅞.
Home—1,500 at .12.
Kootenay Belle—200 at .65.
Minto—500 at .22.
Noble Five—800 at .07.
Pend Oreille—100 at .80; 200 at .63.
United Empire—100 at .08.
Vidette—500 at .57.

Industrials

Coast Breweries—5 at 13.00.

Foreign Bonds

	New York
Argentine 6%, 1957	93.875
Australia 5%, 1957	102.875
Austria 7%, 1942	101.875
Belgium 6%, 1955	102.50
Bogota 6%, 1945	17.625
Denmark 5½%, 1955	99.75
French 7½%, 1941	187.00
German Goverment 7%, 1949	42.00
Japan 6½%, 1954	98.125
Minas Geraes 6½%, 1959	19.25
Norway 6%, 1944	104.00
Queensland 6%, 1947	108.875
Rome 6½%, 1953	84.00
Sweden 5½%, 1954	100.80



The general condition of business in Canada during the month of December was 19.6 per cent below normal (preliminary) according to the McConnell & Fergusson Monthly Index. This compares with 19.8 per cent below normal (final) during the month previous and with 27.9 per cent below normal for December, 1933.

Revenue freight loadings gained one-tenth of a point and electric power production seven-tenths of a point from the final index for November. Bank debits displayed no change and construction contract awards eased eight-tenths of a point.

For the month of November, the difference between the preliminary and the final calculation of the combined, weighted index was one-tenth of a point.

The following table shows the four component factors (corrected for long-time trend, seasonal variation and, where necessary, for changes in price levels), as well as the combined, weighted index.

	*December 1934	November 1934	December 1933
Car loadings of revenue freight	77.6	77.5	67.6
Construction contract awards	61.9	62.7	61.1
Bank debits	94.3	94.3	90.0
Electric power production	91.6	89.9	80.5
Combined weighted index	80.4	80.2	72.1

*Preliminary.

(All computations are based upon official records of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.)

Leading Stocks at Eastern Exchanges Drop Fractionally

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—Unable to resist the continued lack of interest, listings on the Montreal Stock Exchange declined in light trading today.

The downward movement was led by Dominion Bridge, which fell 1 1-4 points at 29.

Textile issues continued strong. Canadian Celanese preferred advanced 2 points to 105. The power group declined fractions to a point for B.C. Power.

Consolidated Smelters eased 3-4 of a point at 139, and Brazilian was off 3-8 at 9 3-4. Selected issues to show gains included Alberta Grain preferred, up 3 at 25; Simon Cigars, up 4 3-8 at 11 7-8, and Canadian Industries preferred, on the curb market, which jumped 36 1-2 points from its latest board lot sale, last year, to sell at 198 1-2, a new high.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Jan. 9 (CP).—Heavy trading in the liquors rescued the industrial section of the Toronto Stock Exchange from dullness today.

The general price tendency was downward.

Trade in Brewers & Distillers, of Vancouver, expanded to 29,000 shares, and the price advanced 10 cents to 80 cents. Distillers-Seagrams gained 1-4 at 17 3-4. Industrial Alcohol "A" finished 1-8 down.

Ford "A" lost 1-4 to 30 1-2 in brisk trade. C.P.R. gained 1-8, while Nickel and Brazilian dropped 1-4 each.

Steel and utility shares were heavy. Disappointment over Dominion Bridge earnings statement caused a 2-point reaction in that issue.

Massey-Harris sagged to 5.

(C. M. Oliver & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
A.P. Grain	3½	..

Associated Breweries	13¾	14
Abitibi Power & Paper	190	195
B.A. Oils	15¼	18⅝
B.C. Power "A"	29¾	30
Building Products	29½	29½
B.C. Power "B"	4⅞	5½
Beath & Sons	3	3⅝
Biltmore Hats	19	17⅝
Bell Telephone	139½	130
Blue Ribbon	3½	4
Brazilian Traction	9⅝	9⅝
Brewing Corporation	3⅛	3⅝
Bruck Silk Mills	19⅝	18
Burt & Co.	24	34¼
Canada Bud	9¼	9½
Canada Bread	4⅛	4⅝
Canada Hydro preferred	77¼	77½
Canada Canners	9¾	8⅞
Canada Cement	7½	7⅝
Canada Car & Foundry	9¼	9½
Canada Malting	29⅝	30½
Canada Dredge	24⅝	24½
Canada Wire & Cable "A"	20	24
Canada Wire & Cable "B"	..	9½
Canadian Bakeries	11¼	11⅝
Canadian Gen. Electric	154⅛	..
Canadian Oils	13	14⅝
Canadian Pacific	12½	12⅝
Cockshutt Plow	8	8⅛
Consolidated Smelters	137	128½
Cosmos Imp. Mills	18	15¾
Consumers Gas	190	191
Distillers-Seagram	17⅝	17⅝
Dominion Stores	11½	11⅞
Ford "A"	30½	30⅝
General Steel Wares	4⅝	4⅞
Gypsum	7¼	7⅝
Goodyear Tire & Rub. pfd.	145	148
Hamilton Bridge	5	5¼
Hiram Walkers	20⅝	20⅝
Imperial Oil	18⅝	16¾
Imperial Tobacco	13¾	13⅝
International Petroleum	30	20¼
International Nickel	23⅝	23¾
Industrial Alcohol "A"	7⅝	7⅞
Industrial Alcohol "B"	8½	.
International Utilities "A"	1½	3
International Utilities "B"	30	45
Lake of the Woods	13	13⅝
Laura Secord	91	81½
Loblaw "A"	17½	18
Loblaw "B"	17¾	17⅝
Massey-Harris	5	9½
Montreal Power	30½	31
McColl-Frontenac	14¾	14⅝
National Steel Car	17½	18
National Breweries	31½	32
Pass-Hersey	79	80
Power Corporation	10⅛	10½
Shawinigan	19	19⅞
Steel of Canada	45¾	46⅝
Steel of Canada pfd.	43	43½
Weston	45	45½
Winnipeg Electric	1½	2⅞
BANKS		
Can. Bank of Commerce	167	187½
Dominion Bank	198	200
Imperial Bank	203½	205
Bank of Montreal	202	203
Bank of Nova Scotia	282½	..
Royal Bank	189⅝	171
Bank of Canada	56⅝	..
Bank of Toronto	220	..

MEETING DELAYS DIVIDEND ACTION

Distillers Corporation-Seagrams, Ltd., Adjourn Annual Gathering Pending Court Proceedings

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—The matter of dividend disbursement will be dealt with at the earliest possible date, Samuel Bronfman, president of Distillers Corporation - Seagrams, Limited, today told shareholders at the scheduled annual meeting. The meeting was adjourned indefinitely.

In making the motion for adjournment, W. B. Cleland, of Hamilton, Ont., a director, declared the fullest confidence was reposed in the president and Allan Bronfman, vice-president, now facing court charges, and he was sure they would be vindicated. It was felt, however, that completion of business of the meeting should, for the time being, be adjourned.

Samuel Bronfman, president of Distillers Corporation - Seagrams, Limited, and Allan Bronfman, vice-president, are among the sixty-one persons charged with conspiring to defraud the Dominion and Provincial Governments by smuggling liquor.

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

Dom. of Can.	1949	3½%	102.125	103.125
"	1935	4%	101.125	102.125
"	1939	5%	104.75	105.75
"	1937	5%	106.79	107.75
"	1937	5½%	110.50	111.375
"	1939	2½%	99.50	100.50
"	1929	4%	105.75	109.75
"	1940	4½%	109.50	110.50
"	1941	5%	113.50	113.50
"	1942	3%	102.00	103.00
"	1943	5%	112.50	114.50
"	1944	4½%	110.50	111.80
"	1945	4%	108.35	107.25
"	1948	4½%	110.25	111.25
"	1952	4%	108.00	107.00
"	1958	4½%	109.50	110.80
"	1957	4½%	109.75	110.78
"	1958	4½%	110.00	111.00
"	1959	4½%	110.125	111.125
C.N.R.	1951	4½%	112.50	114.00
"	1954	4½%	103.00	103.50
"	1956	4½%	113.50	119.00
"	1957	4½%	111.50	113.00
"	1968	4½%	103.75	103.75
"	1955	4½%	118.50	117.50
"	1954	5%	116.00	117.00
"	1969	5%	117.50	119.00
"	1970	5%	118.75	117.78

All prices subject to 35c per $100 brokerage either way.

Bond Quotations

MUNICIPAL
(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Quoted
City of Victoria 5½%, 1948	100.00
City of Victoria 5%, 1945	96.25
City of Vancouver 5%, 1989	89.00
Greater Vancouver Water District 4½%, 1967	94.00
City of New Westminster 6%, 1992	99.50
City of Edmonton 5½%, 1949	93.75
City of Edmonton 7%, 1941	102.00
City of Montreal 5%, 1945	103.75
City of Quebec 5%, 1953	109.50
City of Winnipeg 4½%, 1950	101.50

PROVINCIAL
(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Quoted
Prov. of Alberta 4%, 1954	98.95
Prov. of Alberta 4½%, 1961	100.00
Prov. of Alberta 5%, 1950	109.80
Prov. of Alberta 9%, 1947	109.50
Prov. of B.C. 4%, 1957	94.25
Prov. of B.C. 4½%, 1966	98.28
Prov. of B.C. 5%, 1953	100.00
Prov. of B.C. 5½%, 1945	103.50
Prov. of B.C. 9%, 1947	106.00
Prov. of Manitoba 4%, 1950	97.79
Prov. of Manitoba 4½%, 1951	101.00
Prov. of Manitoba 5½%, 1959	107.00
Prov. of Ontario 4%, 1988	106.75
Prov. of Ontario 4½%, 1965	114.00
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1958	111.00
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1963	113.50
Prov. of Saskatchewan 4%, 1954	90.35
Prov. of Saskatchewan 4½%, 1951	99.75
Prov. of Saskatchewan 5%, 1959	99.00
Prov. of Saskatchewan 5½%, 1953	103.00
Prov. of Saskatchewan 9%, 1952	103.78

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—Vancouver wheat cash prices:

	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	79½	77½
No. 1 Northern	78⅝	76⅝
No. 2 Northern	71	69⅝
No. 3 Northern	68½	65½
No. 4 Northern	65½	62½
No. 5 Wheat	63	60
No. 6 Wheat	62	59
Feed	62	58

Track, 72.

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	130½	130
Brazilian T., L. & P.	9⅝	10
B.A. Oil	15¼	15⅝
Canada Cement	7½	7⅝
Canada Cement pfd.	58½	57½
Canadian Pacific	13⅛	12⅝
Con. Mining & Smelting	138½	139½
Ford "A"	31	31¼
Gypsum Lime & Alab.	7¼	7⅝
Imperial Oil	16⅝	18⅝
Imperial Tobacco	13½	13⅝
International Nickel	23⅝	23⅞
International Petroleum	20	30½
McColl Frontenac	14¼	14⅝
McColl Frontenac pfd.	96⅝	97
Montreal Power Com.	31	31¼
Shawinigan W. & P.	19⅝	19⅝
Bralorne	10.75	10.50
Dome	39	..
Lakeshore	54.35	..
Noranda	34.30	34.75
Pioneer Gold	10.25	10.80
Premier	1.51	1.55
Sherritt Gordon	.60	..
Sudbury Basin	1.23	..
Teck Hughes	3.96	3.99
Ventures	1.00	1.02
Wright-Hargreaves	9.10	..
Bank of Montreal	202	203
Royal Bank	198⅝	..

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)
PUBLIC UTILITIES

	Quoted
B.C. Power 5%, 1960	103.75
B.C. Telephone 5%, 1960	104.50
B.C. Electric 6% pfd.	108.75
B.C. Telephone 6% pfd.	104.50
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	101.75
C.P.R. 4½%, 1944	97.25
Canada Northern Power 5%, 1953	99.75
Gatineau Power 5%, 1956	99.00
Western Power 5%, 1949	105.75

INDUSTRIALS

	Quoted
Abitibi Power & Paper 5%, 1953	41.00
B.A. Oil 5%, 1945	106.00
Burns & Co. 5½%, 1959	40.00
Canada Cement 5½%, 1947	103.50
General Steel Wares 6%, 1952	94.00
Federal Grain 6%, 1949	97.00
McColl-Frontenac 6%, 1949	105.25
Simpson's, Ltd. 6%, 1949	104.00

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—Bar gold in London down 3 cents at $34.68 an ounce in Canadian funds; 141s 11d in British funds. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $34.83 in Canadian funds.

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FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—British and foreign exchange, in relation to the Canadian dollar, as compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada, closed today as follows:

Argentina, peso, .2484; Australia, pound, 3.8915; Austria, schilling, .1882; Belgium, belga, .2336; Brazil, milreis, .0661; China, Hongkong dollars, .4278; Czechoslovakia, crown, .0416; Denmark, krone, .2186; Finland, finmark, .0217; France, franc, .0657; Germany, reichsmark, .4000.

Great Britain, pound, 4.8883; Holland, florin, 2.6741; Hungary, pengo, .2961; India, rupee, .3684; Italy, lire, .0853.

New Zealand, pound, 3.9071; Norway, krone, .2461; Poland, zloti, .1891; South Africa, pound, 4.8817; Spain, peseta, .1364; Switzerland, franc, .3230; United States, dollar, 23-32 of 1 per cent discount.

CANADIAN DOLLAR AND POUND RATES

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—The pound sterling and the French franc both showed minor advances on the Montreal foreign exchanges today, while the United States dollar declined fractionally. The pound was up 5-32 of 1 cent at 4.88 25-32. The franc firmed .01 of 1 cent at 6.57 cents, and the United States dollar lost 7-32 of 1 per cent at 23-32 of 1 per cent.

Metal Markets

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP).—Closing: Copper, standard, spot, £28 2s 6d; future, £28 12s 6d. Electrolytic, spot, £31 10s; future, £32.

Tin—Spot, £232; future, £229 2s 6d.

Lead—Spot, £10 2s 6d; future, £10 10s.

Zinc—Spot, £11 17s 6d; future, £12 5s.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP).—Copper, quiet; electrolytic, spot and future, Blue Eagle, 9.00.

Tin—Strong; spot and nearby, 51.25; future, 51.20.

Iron—Quiet, unchanged.

Lead—Steady; spot, New York, 3.70; East St. Louis, 3.55.

Zinc—Quiet; East St. Louis, spot and future, 3.75.

Aluminum, 19.00 to 22.00.

Antimony, spot, 14.00.

Jones: "Could I borrow enough on my policy to buy a car?"

Official (life company): "You might, but we'd have to cancel your policy if you drove that kind of a car."

Consolidated Distributors, Limited
desire to notify their many patrons of
SPOTOIL
that they are moving today to their new premises at 1006 GOVERNMENT STREET (above Angus Campbell & Co.).

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP).—Closing quotations on stocks and bonds in London follow:

Stocks — Brazilian Traction, $10; International Nickel, $24 1-8; Anglo-Dutch, 24s 4 1-2d; British-American Tobacco, £6 3-8; Courtaulds, 49s 1 1-2d; Dunlop Rubber, 52s; Hudson's Bay, 23s 6d; Imperial Tobacco, 142s 9d; Mining Trust, Ltd., 2s 9d; Rand Mines, £7 1-8; Rhodesian-Anglo-American, 10s 6d; Rhokana Corporation, £4 7-8; Crowns, £13 1-4; Springs, £8 7-8; East Geduld, £8 3-4; Rio Tintos, £15 7-8; Royal Dutch, £18 1-8; Vickers, 10s 4 1-2d.

Bonds—Canadian 4 per cent Loan, 1953-58, £113 7-8; British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £93 7-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £103 7-8; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £121 1-2.

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Close
Aluminum	50
Amn. Cyanamid "B"	16⅞
Amn. Super Power	1
Amn. Gas & Electric	20½
Brazilian Traction	10⅛
Cities Service	1⅛
Ford of Canada "A"	27½
Ford of England	9
Int. Pete	30½
Imperial Oil	16⅛
Newmont	27
Pioneer	11
Lakeshore	54
United Gas Corpn.	1⅝
United Power & Lite	1
Swift	19
Gulf Oil	59
Niagara-Hudson Power	3
Teck Hughes	4
Hecla	6⅛
Wright-Hargreaves	9⅛

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Jan. 9 (CP).—Eggs easier on the Montreal Produce Exchange today, other lines unchanged.

Eggs—"A" large, 28; "A" medium 26; "A" pullets, 25; "B," 19; "C," 18.

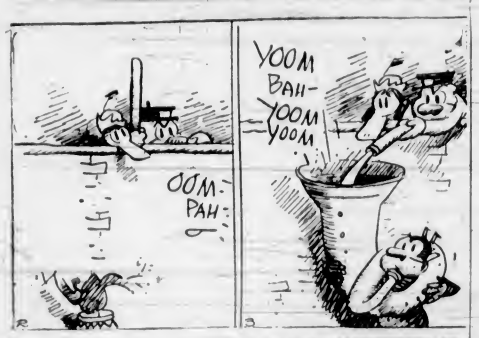
Butter—No. 1 prints, 25; solids, 23.

Cheese—No. 1 current Ontarios, 11.

An escaped lynx from a zoo in Dakota was captured on a golf course. This must be the original golf-lynx.

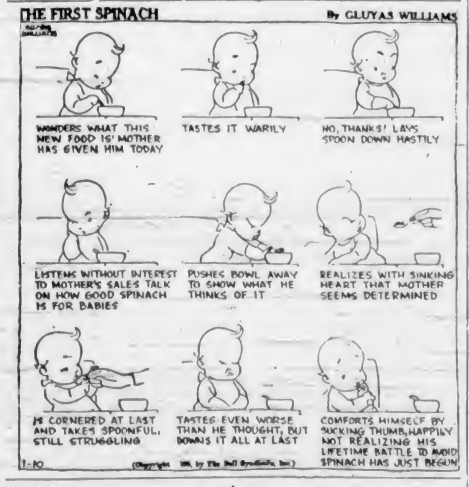
TOONERVILLE FOLKS

KRAZY KAT . . . . . By Herriman



THE TUTTS . . . By Crawford Young

THE FIRST SPINACH By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"TAKE YOUR WORD FOR IT"

You can take my word for that," or "I do not require proof—I'll take your word for it."

We are so familiar with such uses of this expression that we do not stop to analyze it. To take a person's word for something is simply to believe him, to trust to what he says.

The phrase is a very old one, appearing first in a sixteenth century work called the "Life and Death of Jack Straw." Its publication date is 1593

Chinese Girl Is Wed at Calgary

CALGARY.—The first Chinese girl born in Calgary, Miss Jessie Ho Lem, has become the bride of Lee K Yuen, well-known Canadian artist, who studied for a time at the Ontario College of Art.

Following the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. W. F. Kelloway, of Knox United Church, the couple left for the Pacific Coast to sail for Hong Kong, where Mr. Yuen will take up his work.

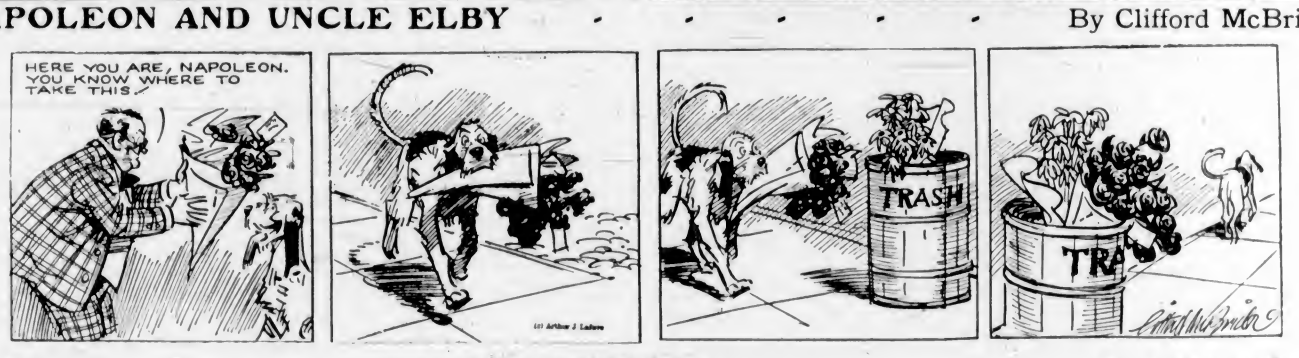
MANCHESTER, England.—John Masefield, Poet Laureate, says he is working on a special poem to celebrate the King's jubilee this year.

APPLE MARY By Martha Orr

ODDY *Practical Instruction* By George Marcoux

POPEYE *Champion Gold-Digger Uppers* By Segar

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY By Clifford McBride



POP *The Truth Will Out* By J. Millar Watt

TILLIE THE TOILER *Sic 'Em Cookie!* By Westover

DIXIE DUGAN *Improbable, at Least!* By J. P McEvoy and J H Striebel

Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

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2 DEATHS

McKAY—There passed away on January 7, at Vancouver General Hospital, Frances, widow of the late William McKay, 651 Cornwall Street, Victoria, in her seventieth year. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Mitchell, 3560 Willow Street, Vancouver, B.C.

Funeral services from Sands Mortuary Chapel today (Thursday, January 10), at 2 o'clock. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GORDON—On Wednesday morning, January 9, there passed away, after a lengthy illness, Aimee Eleanor Gordon. Born in Kilkenny, Ireland, seventy-three years ago, the late Mrs. Gordon had been a resident of this city for the past twelve years. She leaves to mourn her passing two sons, residing in Seattle, Wash.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon, January 12, at 2 o'clock, from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

LOCKE—On January 8, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Edward Anthony Locke, Q.M.S., W.O.2, Royal Canadian Engineers, of 1145 Munro Street, Esquimalt, in his fifty-fourth year; born in Sutton, Surrey, England, and a resident of this district for over twenty years. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his widow, two children, Evelyn Mary and Edward Anthony.

Funeral, which will be military, will be held on Thursday, January 10, the cortege leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2.15 p.m., proceeding to St. Paul's Garrison Church, Esquimalt, where service will be conducted at 2.30 o'clock, after which remains will be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation. (No flowers, by request.)

GOUGH—At the residence of her son, Edward Gough, 1551 Pearl Street, Sarah Gough, widow of Edward Gough, who predeceased her in 1913, aged seventy-nine years; born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and a resident of Victoria for twenty-five years. She is survived by four sons, Ernest, Alfred and Edward, in Victoria, and Walter, in Burlington, Wash.; two daughters, Mrs. S. Pollard, Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs. L. Scott, Carstairs, Alta.; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral will leave from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday, January 12, at 2.15 p.m., proceeding to St. Alban's Church, Ryan Street, where services will be taken at 2.30 p.m. Rev. F. W. Weaver will officiate. Interment will take place in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HICKEY—The death occurred on January 8, at St. Joseph's Hospital, of Catherine Hickey, of 832 Linkleas Avenue, in her sixty-sixth year. She was born in Leek, Staffordshire, England. A resident of this city for the past twenty-eight years, she was the widow of the late Captain P. J. Hickey, who predeceased her in 1933. She leaves to mourn her loss one sister, Mrs. A. Thompson, of this city, also one brother, Stephen Flanagan, also of this city, one brother and one sister in England.

The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. The funeral will be held on Saturday, January 12, the cortege leaving the chapel at 8.45 a.m., proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Requiem Mass will be celebrated by Rev. J. R. Buckley at 9 o'clock. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

4 CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Daniel Carlos and family wish to thank their many friends for their very kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes in their sad bereavement, especially the officers and N.C.O.'s and men, No. 11 Detachment, R.C.E.; also the warrant officers, staff-sergeants and sergeants of the Garrison Sergeants' Mess, Work Point Barracks.

5 IN MEMORIAM

DEARDEN—In loving memory of my dear husband, who passed away January 10, 1933.

We may not know why death should come
To take the dear one from our home
But though our eyes with tears are dim
The Lord knows why, we'll trust in Him.

—Inserted by his loving wife and daughter.

6 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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8 MONUMENTAL WORKS

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10 COMING EVENTS

A BIG OLD-TIME DANCE, STRAWBERRY Vale Hall, Friday, January 11, 9 to 1. Scafe's orchestra. Refreshments. 35 cents.

ARMORIES, FRIDAY NIGHT — DANCE with the Machine Gun, Medical and Service Corps, 9 to 1. Refreshments. Admission 25c. Townsend's orchestra.

A MILITARY 500 CARD PARTY WILL be held in St. Luke's Hall, Thursday, January 10, at 8.15 p.m. Good prizes and refreshments.

COLWOOD BURNS CLUB SCOTTISH practice dance, Colwood Hall, Thursday, January 17. Admission 15c. Refreshments.

C.C.F. HALL, MOUNT TOLMIE, MILITARY 500, tonight (Thursday), January 10. Prizes and refreshments. 25 cents.

C.C.F. DANCE AND WHIST DRIVE, 724 Fort, Friday, January 11. Cards 8.30, dance 9-1. Prizes. Refreshments. 25c.

FAMILY WHIST PARTY—PROGRESSIVE (non-professional), tonight, 8.30, 1406 Douglas St. Refreshments. 25c.

LAKE HILL COMMUNITY HALL, STROLLERS' Dance; also movies, under the auspices Canadian Forestry Association, "Vaudeville, featuring the famous Rhythm Vendors," Vancouver radio dance orchestra. Show at 8.30, dance, 10-1 a.m. Popular admission 25c, children free. Friday, January 11.

NATIVE SONS OF CANADA WILL MEET tonight at 1414 Douglas Street.

OLD-TIME DANCE, ROYAL OAK HALL, January 11, 9-1. Red Barker's orchestra. 35 cents.

PARTNER FIVE HUNDRED, TONIGHT, 8.30, 1220 Government. Usual prizes. Admission 25c.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

YOUNG MAN FOR DAIRY FARM: ONLY good milker need apply. J. Seath, McHugh Farm, Keating.

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A FIRST-CLASS HAIRDRESSER IS ALWAYS in demand. The most successful operators are trained the Moler way. We have an opening in this new branch of America's most famous school of beauty culture to learn hairdressing, permanent waving and haircutting. Modern equipment, specially trained instructress and plenty of practice. The world's longest and strongest chain of practical hairdressing schools. Apply Moler Hairdressing School, Room 208, 1104 Douglas Street.

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WANTED—WOMAN TO DO PLAIN laundry for one lady; take home. Box 7416, Colonist.

PERMANENT WAVING
$1.75
Haircut, 15c; Marcel, 15c; Shampoo, 25c; Facials, Manicures, Scalp Treatments, etc.
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21 PERSONAL

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MODERN FOUR-ROOMED COTTAGE, 1977 Haultain Street, $12.00 a month. Phone G 6967

SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, OAK BAY, $22.50. Ten-room house, city, $25. Six-room bungalow, city, $15. Five-room bungalow, Oak Bay, $20. Seven-rooms, Fairfield, $22.50. Five rooms, Oaklands, $16. See Ray, care of The Rosevear Co., 110 Union Building.

VERY WARM COMFORTABLE FIVE or six room bungalow, Fairfield, fireplace, electric fixtures, furnace, garage, wash tubs. Rent $18.00 or $20.00. Apply 125 Joseph St. Phone G 3759

WANTED—LISTINGS HOUSES TO RENT. We have daily inquiries for houses to rent, and will appreciate a listing of yours. Will only rent to reliable tenants. Try us and see. W. J. Gilliland & Co. Phone G 5741. 1208 Broad St.

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778 DOMINION ROAD—NICE FOUR-roomed bungalow, bath, basement. $12.00

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57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

57A FURNISHED

WANTED—SEVEN OR EIGHT ROOMED, fully furnished, modern home. Must be nice, good tenants. Early possession. Six months or longer. Heisterman, Forman & Co. Phone E 4161.

57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES (Continued)

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FOUR-ROOMED UNFURNISHED BUNgalow, Fairfield or James Bay; $20.00 month. Phone E 3917

REQUIRED — FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, secluded and attractive. Careful, responsible tenant, but rent must be low. Box 7421, Colonist

WANTED TO RENT, WITH VIEW TO purchase. Small modern bungalow on outskirts of Victoria. Address, with full particulars, P.O. Box 434, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

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EASY PAYMENTS ON ENGINE OVERhaul or any major repair job. 724 Johnson. CHET DOWMAN. E 1411

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AUTO RADIATOR, BODY AND FENDER Specialists. Workmanship that cannot be excelled.

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REAL SNAP
1927 DODGE SEDAN
$95
MASTERS MOTOR CO., LTD.
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A 1930 6-CYLINDER CHEV. ENGINE, complete, $50. 6-ton Packard truck engine, $75. 2-ton International truck engine, $75. 12-cylinder Packard engine, in good condition, $75. 1½-ton International truck parts. We have spare parts for the following late model cars in stock: 1924-30 Buicks, Cadillac, Chevrolet, Chrysler, Dodge, Essex, Model "A" Ford, Hudson, Hupmobile, Jewett, Paige, Pontiac, Reo, Studebaker, Willys-Knight; also a large assortment of truck parts, 8-11 tires, all sizes; batteries, generators, starters.
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EMPLOYMENT, prosperity and us. Clearing 30 used cars at 933 Johnson Street.
MUTUAL AUTO SALES

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NEW BATTERIES BUILT TO RIGID specifications and guaranteed one year. Six volt, 13-plate, $5.85; 6 volt, 15-plate, $7.85. Don't be bothered with an old battery now that Winter is here and cold mornings make starting a more severe drain on your battery.

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SEE BILL BRIDGWOOD FOR EXPERT repairs on your car. Nash and Chevrolet specialist. Phone E 0551. Corner Broad and Pandora

TODAY'S BEST BUY
CHRYSLER "50" COACH

In fine running order. Efficient motor, quiet and economical in operation. Lots of power. Good closed-in transportation at minimum cost.

TODAY'S BEST BUY $185
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PLYMOUTH COUPE $285

MANY OTHERS

THOMAS PLIMLEY, LTD.
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1929 FORD ROADSTER, RUMBLE seat, $175. Model "A" Ford sports roadster, rumble seat, $225. Federal, one and a half tons, duals, four-speed transmission, overhauled throughout, $450. 1927 Chevrolet, one ton, $100. White, one and a half tons, $100. 1928 Commerce, one and a half tons, $125.
Cash Paid for Cars and Trucks
CLARKE'S GARAGE
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CHEVROLET SEDAN
$137

THIS IS A '28 MODEL, NICE RUNNING ORDER, NEW BATTERY, GOOD TIRES AND LOOKS WELL. SPLENDID VALUE AND WILL SELL QUICKLY AT THIS PRICE.
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CHEVROLET 1922 Special Sedan $625.00
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$575—STUDEBAKER COUPE, 1931
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PROVEN FEATURES OF THE FORD

1931 FORD DE LUXE TUDOR, specially equipped $395
1929 FORD SPORT COUPE, a neat car, smooth-running motor $275
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1928 CHEVROLET TRUCK, large moving van body, tire equipment perfect, sturdy motor $250

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1935 USED CAR VALUES

1930 AUBURN SEDAN, in first-class order, complete with trunk. Price $495
1928 OLDS SEDAN, motor rebored and new tires. A snap for $295

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Come In and See the New 1935 Dodge and Plymouth

JAMESON MOTORS invite you to inspect a few left-overs at the following low prices:

1933 TERRAPLANE Sedan, like new, only one year old, for $845
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JAMESON MOTORS, LTD.
740 Broughton St., Victoria, B.C.

1927 STAR "4" ROADSTER $135
1928 FORD TUDOR SEDAN $185
1929 FORD ROADSTER $185
All in excellent condition
ROYAL SERVICE GARAGE
Phone E 9415 1001 Blanshard St.

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A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given, may mail their replies to The Colonist, and The Colonist will communicate such replies to the advertiser.

65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

1931 MODEL "A" FORD SEDAN, IN good condition. Phone G 1598.

65B WANTED

BEST PRICES PAID FOR USED CARS EMPRESS GARAGE E 7632

WANTED—LATE MODEL LIGHT CAR. Good cash payment, balance terms. No dealers. Phone E 3996.

67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

BOAT LUMBER, CEDAR, SPRUCE AND oak stock; low prices. Spruce oars $1.25 per pair, shaped. DALZIEL. G 1422

WEST COAST TROLLER, 29 FEET long, two-cylinder Regal engine. Apply Victoria Motor Boat Works.

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OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN small syndicate with excellent prospects of commercial success and substantial profits. This syndicate will take over an interest in a practical venture which will stand closest investigation. Apply Box 6728, Colonist.

WE SPECIALIZE IN THE SALE OF businesses of all kinds and sizes. L. U. Conyers & Co., 1025 Douglas Street.

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Established 1863
EXCHANGE

OWNER OF FINE COUNTRY ESTATE and farm wishes to exchange it for a waterfront house, Oak Bay preferred. Estate consists of 160 acres; 22 acres under cultivation, 2 acres of orchard; balance of land partly slashed and seeded down, some timber left. Ten-room house, two bathrooms. Large barn. Situated north of Duncan. Valued at $8,500. Clear title. Property stands owner more than double this. Will take clear title to house on seafront, and pay some cash if necessary.

WATERFRONT — DEEP COVE. Eight lots, sheltered cove; beautiful outlook. Modern, all-year-round dwelling of six rooms, bathroom. Nice garden, fruit trees, boathouse, etc. Said to have cost $9,000. Offered, for quick sale, at low price of $5500

THE B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
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THREE GOOD TRADES

1—OAK BAY BUNGALOW for small city house.
2—OAK BAY HOME for vacant lot and some cash.
3—UPLANDS BUNGALOW for seven or eight-roomed house in Saanich.

OLIVER & MATHIESON, LTD.
640 Fort St. Phone E 5041

78 HOUSES FOR SALE

A BARGAIN—FIVE-ROOMED BUNGALOW, on car line, Cralgflower Road. High basement, three-quarters cemented. All large, bright rooms; three fireplaces, bath and toilet. Lot 30 x 200; fruit trees. Light taxes. Price $950 for cash. Owner Prairie man, must sell. Robert Grubb & Co., 312 Sayward Bldg., Victoria.

COUNTRY FAMILY RESIDENCE, standing in 4½ acres. Fully modern, electric light. Excellent water supply. Low taxes. Centrally situated. Price (easy terms) $4250

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station, B.C.

OAK BAY

FIVE ROOMS, just completed. Situated on a splendid avenue. Modern in detail, including tiled fittings, hardwood floors, etc. Good lot, garage.
PRICE $3,600

MARA, JONES & CO., LTD.
1212 Broad St. Phone E 2823

HOUSES BUILT ON INSTALLMENT plan. D. H. Bale, Contractor, Fort and Stadacona.

MAHOGANY, OAK AND MAPLE ARE used extensively in the finish of this fine residence of nine rooms, facing Beacon Hill Park. Features of this house are a living-room, about 22 x 40; a tiled cloak-room and lavatory off hall; a tiled bathroom with colored fixtures, expensive and handsome electric fixtures, hot-water heat, extra bathroom, several fireplaces.

Grounds are large and contain two-car garage, beautiful shade and ornamental trees, perennials, fruit trees, rockery, glass-house, dog kennels and run. Asking price is $8,000, but lower offers will be considered.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Dept.
1202 Government St. E 4126

NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW IN OAK Bay at less than builder's cost. High land, south of the Avenue. Contains five rooms, spacious and best of construction. Basement has garage and furnace.
PRICE $2,800, ON TERMS

JOHN GREENWOOD
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MAGNIFICENT VIEW
SEAFRONT HOME

NEW STUCCO HOME, well constructed, nicely finished. Seven rooms, two bathrooms, hot-water heated. Price $7500
WILL EXCHANGE

LEE, FRASER CO., LTD.
1222 Broad St. Phone E 4723

NEW SAANICH BUNGALOW, FOUR rooms and bathroom, modern plumbing, special built-in features, fireplace, electric fixtures, blinds, linoleum, etc. Immediate possession. Only $1,650, terms. Liberal discount for half cash or all cash. "See Ray," care of The Rosevear Co., 110 Union Building.

OWNER, LEAVING CITY, WOULD SACrifice new stucco bungalow, five rooms; select district, Oak Bay; price $2,950. Would include for quick sale, new combination range, linoleums, etc. Phone E 7210.

SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, WALKING distance, completely redecorated, entrance hall, pantry, bathroom, fireplace in living-room. Only $700. Immediate possession. For inspection, "See Ray," care of The Rosevear Co., 110 Union Bldg.

MONTEREY SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE FINEST SIX-ROOMED STUCCO bungalow in the high section. Layout: Entrance hall, living-room, 18 x 24, with fireplace; dining-room, 12 x 18, with built-in buffet; den, kitchen with porcelain sink, woodlift, breakfast nook; two large bedrooms and modern bathroom; staircase to unfinished attic. Garage partitioned off full cement basement, laundry tubs, oversize hot-air furnace. Concrete driveway. Lot 60 x 310. This property cost owner $10,000 in 1928. Through personal reasons he is prepared to take a terrific loss. Phone E 9341 for appointment to view.

ALDER & SONS, LTD.
808 Fort Street

FAIRFIELD DISTRICT BARGAIN
REDUCED FROM $2,750 TO $1,350
$500 Cash Down, Balance Like Rent

THIS modern eight-roomed residence, in excellent condition. Open fireplace, three-piece bathroom; extra lavatory in basement. Cement basement, hot-air furnace. Immediate possession. Why pay rent?

H. G. DALBY & CO., LTD.
634 View Street, Opposite Spencer's

$600—FOR QUICK SALE FIVE-roomed bungalow, with full plumbing and in good condition. Good high lot. Located near school and car.

$350 CASH and the balance as rent at 6%. A new stucco bungalow of four rooms, with garage and cement basement, artistically built and with all the latest built-in features. An ideal lot and location. Full price $1900

INDEPENDENT INSURANCE AGENCIES, LIMITED
574 Yates St. Phone G 1851

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

NEW OAK BAY BUNGALOW, FIVE rooms and bathroom, Pembroke bath, tile sink in kitchen with all special built-in features, electric fixtures, linoleum, blinds, etc. Only $2,250, terms. Liberal discount for half cash or all cash. "See Ray," care of The Rosevear Co., 110 Union Building.

$1600—$250 CASH, BALANCE $20.00 per month, including interest at 5%, buys this nice six-room bungalow, in good condition, on choice lot, less than ten minutes' walk to City Hall. Taxes $72.00. This is really a good buy.

$2800—EIGHT-ROOM STUCCO, Oak Bay. Large, choice corner lot. Full cement basement, furnace, tubs. Taxes $70.00. $800 cash and assume mortgage of $2,000. This is a real bargain at above price, as owner paid $9,500 for it ten years ago. See it and be convinced.

WANTED—EIGHT or nine-room house, Oak Bay, in exchange for six-room bungalow. Will assume difference.

W. J. GILLILAND & CO.
1202 Broad St. Garden 5741

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

GOOD BUILDING LOT, MADDOCK ST., near Harriet Road. Taxes $7.00. Would accept $125 cash. Phone G 7626.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—15 ACRES (FIFTEEN) LAND, new buildings; pipe water; near Oyster Bay school. Full particulars, J. Erkkila, R.R. 1, Ladysmith, B.C.

NORTH SAANICH — 16-ACRE FARM, 5-roomed house, barns; $2,100. Sparling estate agent. Sidney. Tel 1

11 ACRES, ALL CLEAR
5-ROOM BUNGALOW
City Water. Large Barn, Chicken Houses, Etc.
Nicely Situated near Waterfront in METCHOSIN DISTRICT
Price $2,500. Or Would Rent With Option

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
620 Broughton Street

85 FARMS FOR SALE

FARM FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR property in town. Value, $3,500. House five rooms; outbuildings; garage. Eight acres, all cleared. Good well. Nine miles from city. Box 7359, Colonist.

SAANICH FARM TO RENT, ABOUT 80 acres. House, grade "A" barn, dairy, etc. Light, water laid on. Will lease. Box 7427, Colonist.

13-ACRE FARM, WITHIN SEVEN MILES of city. About three cleared. Good eight-roomed house, plastered, modern plumbing, furnace. Three poultry houses, brooder house, barn for four head. Price $4,750, or will trade for property in high part of Gordon Head.

ALSO THREE ACRES adjoining; about two cleared. A snap at $525.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
1210 Broad Street

In Re F. L. McKENZIE, Carrying on Business Under the Name of SIDNEY SUPER SERVICE STATION, at Sidney, B.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that all parties having claims against the above named are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of January, 1935, after which date the assets of the said F. L. McKenzie will be distributed amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have had notice.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1935.

JAMES REID
R. ANGUS
Attorneys-in-Fact of F. L. McKenzie,
P.O. Box 156, Vancouver, B.C.

BANKRUPTCY ACT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Bankruptcy of UNIVERSITY SCHOOL LIMITED, Debtor

NOTICE is hereby given that University School Limited made an assignment on the 26th day of December, 1934; and that the first meeting of creditors will be held on the 16th day of January, 1935, at the hour of half-past two in the afternoon at the office of the Official Receiver in the City of Victoria, B.C.

To vote thereat proofs of claims and proxies must be filed with me prior thereto.

Those having claims against the estate must file same with the Custodian or the Trustee when appointed, otherwise the proceeds of the estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto without regard to such claims.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 5th day of January, 1935.

HAROLD G. HINTON, C.A.,
Custodian.
809-10-11 Bank of Toronto Building, Victoria, B.C.

WILLIAM SAMUEL CURRY, Deceased

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Samuel Curry, late of Victoria, B.C., deceased, who died on the 17th day of September, 1934, and whose will was proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia on the 12th day of October, 1934, by John George Forster, the executor therein named, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to Lawson & Davis, 918 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 21st day of January, 1935, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said testator or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 24th day of December, 1934.

LAWSON & DAVIS,
Solicitors for the Executor.

SNAP IN FAIRFIELD

Eight-room house: four bedrooms; separate plumbing in basement, furnace, wash tubs. Immediate occupation. Price $1,250

GORGE DISTRICT

Six-room house: three bedrooms, bathroom, pantry, etc. Full cement basement, furnace. Terms $500 cash, balance at rental rate. Price $1,950

Money to Loan on First Mortgages

ARTHUR E. HAYNES, LTD.
725 FORT STREET

The Proprietors of Victoria Homes & Gardens, Ltd., have decided to withdraw this firm from active business till further notice, with effect from January 10, 1935.

Mr. B. Cooper, the present manager, is taking over the firm's insurance business and will be located at 201 Central Building. Phone E 1715.

Victoria Homes & Gardens Limited
606 Fort Street Phone E 4105

NOTICE

B. COOPER, 201 Central Bldg., will be pleased to give special attention to your INSURANCE and REAL ESTATE requirements. Phone E 1712.

ENTRY WINS RICH PURSE

Wise Daughter Takes Yosemite Handicap at Sanita Anita Meet

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 (AP).—Wise Daughter, coupled with Whiskolo as the Milky Way Farms entry, won the Yosemite Handicap here today, a six-furlong dash for three-year-olds and up, as the mudders had a field day at Santa Anita Track.

Odds-on favorite, Wise Daughter, New Year's Day handicap winner, defeated Marooned by a nose, with Croon third, three lengths behind. Whiskolo was fourth. The time was 1:13 2-5.

Wise Daughter paid $3.20 and $2.20 on $2 pari-mutuel tickets, with no show tickets sold.

The race took the feature spot on the programme when Twenty Grand and two others were scratched in the five-horse field for the $2,500 sixth race that was to have been the first prepping event for the seven-year-old Kentucky Derby winner.

The declarations brought about cancellation of the event.

BEST PRICE

Top money for the day was paid by Squeezer, which won the second race, to be worth $20, $11.20 and $4.40 to ticket holders.

Today was the third time Twenty Grand had been scratched after being nominated to go. Trainer Bill Trennan announced last night that if the track were heavy or slippery today, he would not risk the Greentree Stable star, which is training for a comeback with the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap of February 23 his goal.

ENGLISH RUGBY

LONDON, Jan. 9 (CP). — Rugby Union games played today resulted as follows:

Bristol 12, Navy 0.

County Championship Replay

Eastern Counties 5, Kent 0.

Pemberton's

TODAY'S SPECIAL
COWICHAN FARM

80 acres. About 40 under cultivation. Excellent land. Fair house. Large barn. Bargain price, only $3200

OAK BAY

New five-room stucco bungalow, built by the owner for his own use. First-class material used. Situated near sea and golf links, in good residential district. Owner is leaving for England soon and has cut price for a quick sale to $2950

JAMES BAY—Near Beacon Hill Park. Comfortable five-room bungalow, three bedrooms, cement basement. Convenient to city. Price, on terms $2000

Pemberton & Son, Ltd.
G 8124 625 Fort St.
F. J. D. Pemberton, Manager
Real Estate Dept.

TO RENT

Five-room furnished bungalow, with screened-in porch, close in. Piano and radio included. Lease for term if wanted. Rent, $35.

Five-roomed furnished stucco bungalow, waterfrontage, modern. Rent, $40.

WANTED TO RENT

We have a client who wants to rent a small four or five-roomed place with about an acre of ground, not too far out. Good tenant.

GILLESPIE, HART & CO. LIMITED
611 Fort Street Phone G 1181

TWO SAFE INVESTMENTS

Which will return a good yield on your money. Real estate is a tangible investment.

OAK BAY—Brand new stucco bungalow, five rooms, fully modern. Tenant waiting at $30 a month. Taxes approx. $40. Price, on terms $2,800

FAIRFIELD—Fine new stucco of six rooms, fully modern, with hot-water heating. Taxes $140. Owner says he has a tenant at $45 a month. The price on this is low, namely $4,000

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
922 Government St. G 4115

1935
A New Year's Bargain
$1935

Seven-roomed semi-bungalow, overlooking sea, in A-1 condition throughout. Hot-air heating. Low taxation. Select neighborhood. $400 cash, balance as rent. Don't miss this. Phone for appointment.

A. A. Meharey & Co.
624 Fort Street Phone F 1187
Insurance, Real Estate, Stocks, Bonds

Ideal Little Home

Located in a nice part of Oak Bay, handy to transportation and not far from the beach. Fair size living-room with oak floor and large open fireplace, also dining, two bedrooms, modern bathroom and kitchen with tiled sink; also good basement, furnace and garage. Just an ideal little home, brand new, and exceptional value for $2000

(See this without delay!)

Branson Investment Co. Ltd.
626 View Street Phone G 4121

1.66-ACRE
WATERFRONT
SASEENOS

$1250 IS THE TOTAL PRICE of this desirable property. Situate on the main Sooke Road, with a gentle slope to the beach and commanding an unsurpassed marine view; 1.66 acres of choice land, all cleared and fenced. Four-room cottage (in need of minor repairs), garage, etc. Good water supply. Taxes approx. $9. Good transportation. Electric light and phone if desired. This property is a genuine bargain at $1,250, and terms can be arranged.

SEE US AT ONCE

P.R. Brown & Sons Limited
1112 Broad St. Phone G 7171

OAK BAY SPECIALS

Nine-room house in three-quarters acre of well-laid-out and treed grounds. The house is very well built, having granite foundations. Full basement and furnace, and is in first-class condition $5000

Ten-room house on the seafront, but sheltered from the coldest winds. This is an exceptionally well-built house, standing in pleasant grounds of over one-half acre $8000

New five-room bungalow of attractive design, on a well-treed lot, near the sea $2000

Oliver & Mathieson, Ltd.
640 Fort Street E 5041

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.

JUST OUTSIDE THE CITY BOUNDARY

A thoroughly modern and well-kept bungalow, containing sitting-room, dining-room, a well-arranged kitchen and two good bedrooms. Also a finished bedroom in the basement. Hot air furnace, garage, and one-quarter of an acre of garden. Price $2,500

Or will exchange for Vancouver property

$1,500 BARGAIN

Close to park and easy walking distance to the city, a house of six rooms, containing sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms and bathroom. Concrete basement and garage. The interior of this home is in first-class condition.

CLOSE IN COUNTRY HOME

Situated on 2½-mile circle, comprising seven-room modern residence, commanding fine views of sea and surrounding country, having large living-room with open fireplace; dining-room, convenient kitchen, cooler, pantry, three-piece bathroom and four nice bedrooms. Full cement basement and furnace. The grounds are laid out in flower and vegetable garden, good variety of fruits, pasture, barn, chicken house, etc. Five acres in all. Saanich taxes. Owner will sacrifice for $4,500

Would consider exchange for city property.

We have a large selection of exchanges for both city and country properties; also Vancouver and Prairie Provinces.

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.
638 View Street G 1032

SMALL HOMES

Oak Bay. Five rooms, basement, south of Avenue, two lots $2,250

Oak Bay Stucco, five rooms. Monterey School district $2,200

Willows District. Stucco bungalow, nice garden $2,250

Willows District. Well built four rooms, basement, furnace $1,850

Heisterman, Forman & Co.
606 VIEW STREET

PEACE

Although within walking distance of the city's centre, this "homey" residence has wonderful privacy and seclusion. There is a snug living-room, fine dining-room and a large sunroom or lounge overlooking green lawns and sheltering oaks. Three bedrooms, kitchen and the usual offices. Oak floors, fireplaces and hot water heat all combine to make a most comfortable home.

Today's price $5,000

Ker & Stephenson, Limited
1205 Government St. Phone G 4127

Braefoot Estates

The famous old Tolmie Farm is nearly all sold. Only a very few tracts left.

Every facility to produce a self-sustaining cash revenue the year round.

Close to City of Victoria; city conveniences.

Orientals and Asiatics excluded

Climate, soil and location are unrivalled anywhere on the Continent

Small cash investment, and deferred payments not exceeding $12.00 monthly. Low taxes.

Let us give you complete particulars.

PEMBERTON & SON, LTD.
Victoria, B.C.

FELL & SCHARFF, LTD.
Vancouver, B.C.

OAK BAY

Well-built, modern, stucco residence. Large, high basement. Spacious hall, drawing and dining-rooms, open fireplace, oak floors; attractive sunroom; kitchen with elaborate built-in fixtures. Five bedrooms (four large), with commodious, lighted clothes closets. Glassed-in sleeping porch. Three-piece bathroom, extra good fixtures, tiled floor and walls. This fine home stands in ample grounds, laid out in lawns, flower and vegetable gardens and family orchard. Three minutes from car, bus and beach. Business compels owner to reside in Vancouver, and he will take heavy sacrifice for immediate sale, price $7,000

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
1210 Broad Street

Scrap-Book OF FAMOUS FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

BY BILL BRAUCHER

Joe Rivers and Ad Wolgast in Their Famous Double Knockout

Ad Wolgast Falls After Flooring Joe Rivers in Their Memorable Battle at Los Angeles

AD Wolgast had been lightweight champion more than two years when he met Joe Rivers, cat-footed Mexican, at Los Angeles, July 4, 1912. Wolgast had beaten Battling Nelson in forty rounds, George Memsic in nine, Frankie Burns in sixteen and Owen Moran in thirteen, when he met the ferocious Rivers.

They slugged toe-to-toe, with no thought for defence. It was a terrific pace. Rivers pounded the champion's iron jaw. The Cadillac Wildcat kept a steady rain of punches playing on Rivers' body.

The finish was amazing. As Rivers swung a vicious right in the thirteenth round, Wolgast sent a swishing left hook to the body. Rivers fell backward, and as he did, Wolgast came tumbling forward on top of him.

Each man clutched at his belt-line. Wolgast, sitting up, claimed Rivers' knee had hit him. Rivers writhed on the canvas. As the Michigan battler struggled to his feet, Referee Jack Welch helped hold him up and started counting Rivers out!

Both were dragged to their corners, the bell ending the round before Welch completed his count. With the men in their corners being revived, Referee Welch stepped to the centre of the ring and announced that Wolgast had won by a knockout.

As the fight ended, a riot began that lasted long after police had helped the principals to leave the ring safely. Wolgast remains a winner in the books, but the terrific punches administered by Rivers took their toll. He lost his title during his next fight—with Willie Ritchie.

(By Central Press Canadian)

Next: Johnson and Ketchell.

New Orleans Racing

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 9.—Results here, today, follow.

First Race—One mile:
Proud Princess (Wagner) $15.40 $8.00 $4.60
Hip Boots (Miller) 2.80 3.00
Hamilton (T. P. Martin) 6.00
Time, 1.42. Also ran: Wee B., Oswego Princess, Solus, Guifeiano, Northern Spy, Jack Beaner, Home Rule, Irish Maiden, Southland Toy.

Second Race—Six furlongs:
Goron (Haber) $11.40 $4.00 $2.40
Sugar Creek (Young) 2.60 2.40
Golden Throne (Turner) 4.20
Time, 1:14 4-5. Also ran: Coatlier, Saxon Queen, Blond Sure, Flo Along, Gin Buck, Easer Bell, Little Ina, Monk's Shawl, Dixiconna.

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Jazz Age (Leyland) ... $21.20 $9.60 $6.20
Corida (Gower) 20.60 9.40
Pola's Flag (Sylvester) 12.60
Time, 1.14 1-5. Also ran: Morvim, Royal Rock, Blackfoot, Santa Cruz, Morning Cry, Dessner, Very Well, Aurebon, Goose Flesh.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Our Man (Haber) $2.80 $2.40 $2.20
Exetude (Wagner) 3.60 2.40
Little Duke (Sylvester) 2.40
Time, 1:13. Also ran: Lynn C., Lee B., Willa T.

Fifth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Amer'n Prince (Edwards) $11.80 $6.00 $2.60
Rishi (Obert) 5.40 3.40
Six Belle (Leyland) 3.00
Time, 1.47. Also ran: Pan Toy, Pulis, Bourbon Prince, Sergeant Hill.

Sixth Race—Six furlongs:
Atmosphere (Wagnar) .. $21.40 $8.00 $4.60
Chief's Pride (Turner) 2.20 2.60
Heavy Sugar (Edwords) 2.00
Time, 1.13 1-5. Also ran: Marie Jean, Prince Sulimen, Luck In, Mature, Buddy Apolis.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Bokie B (Wagner) $12.00 $5.00 $4.20
Upon (Balaski) 5.00 4.00
Luke Connel (Mathews) 3.60
Time, 1.48. Also ran: News Hawk, Sedate, Cordon Blue, Loyal Louie, Shirley May, Niala, Tarnish, Canter On.
Weather, clear, track, fast.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—One mile:
Goody Goody 103
Fair Peter 105
Prince Ballot 110
Cvena 108
Highland Downs 113
Kurdeir 102
Jacqueline D 105
Idle Wild 100
Silver Blue 105
Playsickle 105

Second Race—Six furlongs:
Dewrock 105
Busy Mack 113
Buffoonery 100
Raeswood 110
Tar Bucket 113
Pish Tush 110
Clack 110
Might Surprise 110
Benediction 105
Suzanne Guetel 108
Dorothy B 108
Boecord 108
Hervela 103
Bellona 103
Edith Welker 108
Bunty Ann 105

Third Race—One mile:
Bright Melody 108
Julie Irene 103
Muff 105
Marcelet 105
Miss N Cenlan 108
Bat o' Roses 105
Southland Belle 105
Bright Wine 108
Lady Emile 110
Lady Mary 103
Easy Bid 108
Cotton Time 105
Cynera 105
Town Limit 110
Marvina 110
Emma Lee 100
Claret 105
Grand Flight 108

Fourth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Arctic Star 107
Luaant 110
Lord Dean 110
Durva 109
Holland 105
Luke Commoner 112
Stabilizer 105
Lady Trust 104
Dark Allos 105
Traumaene 110
Wild Laurel 110
Hereward 103
Young John 114
Dodiodo 114
Bob's Luck 105
Jerry S 109
Shirley Mae 103

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:
Preferred 111
Nell Kuhlman 106
Red Diamond 111
Gratien 111
Justice B 111
Pola's Flag 102
Don Pablo 107
Ski 87
Forcery 111
Little Marvelle 106
Sugar Jar 111
Tranmen 111
Charming Sir 111
Gagne 107
Mueller 111
Smear 116
Greta Ellsworth 107
King Today 107

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
McCarthy 105
Fanfern 107
Play Hooky 101
Parity 110
The Immortal II 94
Cloudet 103
Rip Van Winkle 118

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Joe Geary 112
Smooth 114
Mokan [illegible]
Deerister [illegible]
Lucky Dan [illegible]
Pot Au Mint 108
[illegible]
Royal Purchase [illegible]

Dutchy 107
More Power 114
Baritone 110
Bagaataway 114
Cosinos 110
Little Jay 110
Dauntless Miss 107
Purple Patch 93
Dick Porter 110

California Racing

SANTA ANITA, Jan. 9.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Three furlongs:
Caliban (Robertson) $12.40 $5.20 $3.80
Drawn Sword (Westrope) 5.20 4.20
Berenda (Mauro) 5.20
Time, :35 2-5. Also ran: Miss Tad, Cant Rip, Kai Harri, Busby, Mixed Goods, Gay Steamer, Airy Hairess, Pima Girl, Southern Way, Hadase.

Second Race—Six furlongs:
Squeezer (Thornton) ... $20.00 $11.20 $4.40
Grand Opera (Coucci) 5.80 2.80
Deer Fly (Woolf) 2.80
Time, 1.15 4-5. Also ran: Bonnie Pan, Patsy C., Miss Moo, Militant, Deputation.

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Lobitus (Gray) $4.20 $2.20 $2.60
Vine Hills (Coucci) 8.00 5.60
Merced Chief (Ray) 7.20
Time, 1.15. Also ran: All Devil, Lady Peenzie, May Rap, Green Flame, Hope Loring, Enella.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Longford (Peters) $5.20 $2.20 $2.80
Caria Brook (Merritt) 3.60 2.00
Joe Flores (Mauro) 4.80
Time, 1.12 4-5. Also ran: Dark Devil, Mumsie, Hueu.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:
Wise Daughter (Westrope) $3.20 $2.20
Marooned (Coucci) 2.60
Croon (Turk)
Time, 1:13 2-5. Also ran: Whiskola, Time Flight.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-eighth:
Euxine (Coucci) $10.40 $4.20 $3.20
Sand Baby (Ray) 3.40 2.60
Lauretta Nash (Mauro) 4.60
Time, 1.56 4-5. Also ran: Ida B., Our Admiral, Rome Vennie, Sweetman.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-quarter:
Crestal Prince (Coucci) $10.80 $4.60 $2.20
Kislay (Simmons) 4.20 2.80
Eighth Pole (Gray) 2.80
Time, 2.10 2-5. Also ran: Cerveza, Bon Honest, Rock Cargo, Tut Tut, Publication.
Weather raining, track, sloppy.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Three furlongs:
Orra 118
Bawry 118
Charming Miss 118
Bon Femme 116
Lady Edith 116
Dunlin Lady 116
Moon Sail 116
Two Bob 118
Themus 116
Bess Home 116
Witherenza 116
Hedon 116
Rattle Brain 116
Maiden's Dream 116
(Pasadena Stable entry)

Second Race—Seven furlongs:
Early Star 100
Sun Liberte 113
Pon 105
Polling Wheels 105
Grandma 107
Can Ele 104
Liolele 105
Nappia 116
Swifty 114
Parawick 104
George Holdey 105
Selz 105

Third Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Sun Caprice 107
The Pagan 105
Mars Palatine 115
Silent Don 110
Rosemaid 100
Me Miss 105
Tamra Lass 102

Fourth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Pima Lad 105
Flower Dae 102
Fair Billy 107
Ana X 104
Winslow 116
Puako 112
Porternesia 107
Speckle 107
Running Heel 102
Chosen Pal 111
Blondelle 107
Enre 107

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:
Bit o' Shade 114
Diavoless 104
Hope Eternal 107
Toro Bang 106
Press On 104
Peradventure 109
Beverly Hills 108
Pantoufle 111
Lade Bowman 109

Sixth Race—One mile:
Even Up 108
Precursor 114
Mr. Bun 109
Daily News 100
Slapped 107
Velocite 105
South Gallant 102

Seventh Race—One mile:
High Tension 110
Respect 115
Sweet Chariot 111
Rowdy Boy 108
Leveal 105
Collector A 1 100
Furenlua 103
Fabulous 103
Mermara 95

CRICKET MEETING

An important meeting of the Victoria Cricket Club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in The Colonist board room.

Hockey Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Canadian Section

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Toronto	16	5	1	64	44	33
Maroons	12	7	2	52	36	26
Americans	7	11	3	42	51	17
Canadiens	5	12	3	37	55	13
St. Louis	5	14	3	33	60	13

American Section

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Chicago	12	7	2	48	33	26
Boston	12	9	1	51	47	25
Detroit	10	10	3	62	46	23
Rangers	7	11	2	47	65	16

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Seattle	11	1	1	44	17	23
Vancouver	6	4	3	41	29	15
Portland	4	6	1	34	39	12
Calgary	2	6	3	24	36	7
Edmonton	2	8	1	23	45	5

BOWLING

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

COMMERCIAL "A" TENPIN LEAGUE

Scott & Peden "A"—W. Peden, 497; E. Jones, 146; E. Wage, 544; L. McClellan, 522; D. Peden, 358; low score, 420; handicap, 143. Total, 2,631.
Gascos—B. Page, 565; H. G. Bolt, 453; W. H. Dreaper, 501; D. S. Mowat, 220; W. Mowat, 494; handicap, 206. Total, 2,649.
Gascos won two

Gyros—W. McGregor, 500; E. Taylor, 443; A. MacNeill, 481; T. Bowden, 560; low score, 460; handicap, 240. Total, 2,684.
Kent's—G. Morley, 603; W. Fulton, 533; N. Parsell, 559; J. Rowe, 515; A. Kent, 572; handicap, 213. Total, 2,996.
Kent's won three.

Scott & Peden "B"—J. Newton, 530; J. Peden, 479; G. Todd, 505; A. Thompson, 521; C. Bruce, 350. Total, 2,285.
Scott & Peden "B" won three by default.

COMMERCIAL "A" FIVEPIN LEAGUE

New Method Laundries—R. Lamb, 466; W. Weters, 471; S. Swetnam, 504; J. Imrie, 506; A. Speller, 574; handicap, 123. Total, 2,664.
Quality Meat Market—H. Hewitt, 581; R. Taylor, 467; H. Gent, 483; J. Randall, 465; S. Semple, 459; handicap, 300. Total, 2,805.
Quality Meat Market won two

Safeway Stores—G. Morgan, 440; S. Mackey, 568; A. Fields, 460; P. Ray, 458; F. Smith, 607; handicap, 300. Total, 2,833.
Fernwood Meat Market—J. Waters, 531; F. Freer, 606; A. Knight, 528; D. McCais, 665; N. McCais, 597; handicap, 159. Total, 3,098.
Fernwood Meat Market won two

K. of P. "A"—G. W. Allison, 255; M. H. Barry, 437; A. Haines, 473; G. Davies, 510; W. Marshall, 709; handicap, 216. Total, 2,700.
W. & J. Wilson—Acres, 517; Terries, 535; Scutt, 486; McIntosh, 530; Elliott, 630; handicap, 300. Total, 2,007.
W. & J. Wilson won three

Hudson's Bay Co.—J. Galloway, 650; C. Gold, 452; T. O'Connell, 570; F. Marshall, 612; A. McCormick, 511; handicap, 200. Total, 2,096.
Hudson's Bay Co. won three by default

H. O. Kirkham—J. Durrance, 484; H. Van Munster, 372; H. Pelland, 458; L. Bryant, 555; handicap, 297. Total, 2,167.
H. O. Kirkham won three by default

COMMERCIAL "B" FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Gainers' Superiors—Fancette, 475; Gillis, 523; A. Hall, 293; Hubbard, 393; low score, 266; handicap, 200. Total, 2,470.
Colonist Nonpareils—E. Borde, 420; R. Turner, 491; R. Young, 502; A. Stokes, 470; W. Dunn, 661; handicap, 171. Total, 2,715.
Colonist Nonpareils won three

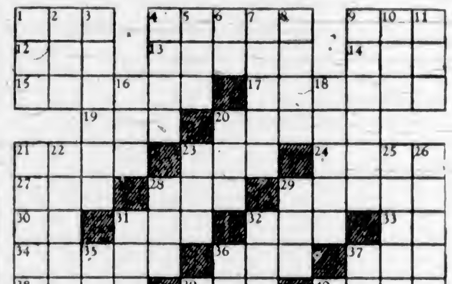
Druggists—R. Jenkin, 502; B. Cross, 568; I. Moore, 626; G. Fulmer, 495; low score, 278; handicap, 300. Total, 2,867.
Pantorium—E. Morry, 610; H. McCloy, 655; W. Morry, 566; O. Beek, 425; F. Newman, 669; handicap, 129. Total, 3,286.
Pantorium won three

McDowell & Mann—A. Mann, 518; S. Holman, 390; McDowell, 439; E. Irvine, 225; A. Martin, 499; handicap, 200. Total, 2,471.
Mc, Mc & Prior—C. Shaw, 409; I. Crombie, 474; 474; J. Davidson, 211; A. Longley, 526; R. Godtel, 519; L. Collins, 188; handicap, 300. Total, 2,505.
Mc, Mc & Prior won two.

Bert Waude Hairdressing—J. Newnham, 530; W. Murgatroyd, 529; N. Mobey, 489; B. Waude, 524; H. Short, 582; handicap, 300. Total, 2,964.
Bert Waude Hairdressing won three by default.

Victoria City second division football eleven will hold a workout at the Veterans of France, this evening at 7:30 o'clock, to be followed by an important meeting. All players are requested to attend.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

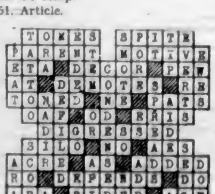


ACROSS

1. To weep.
4. Artistic enthusiasm.
9. Feline.
12. Man's name.
13. Positive pole.
14. River.
15. Frank.
17. Pretty.
19. Brown.
20. Cut.
21. Plausibly fluent.
23. Mountain depression.
24. Roster.
27. Away.
28. Pile.
29. Engine.
30. Conjunction.
31. To taste.
32. Weight.
33. To exist.
34. Prophetess.
36. Idle talk.
37. Beverage.
38. Biblical garden.
39. To knock.
40. Kind of wine.
41. Proboscides.
42. Moccasin.
44. Musical instrument.
46. College treasurer.
49. High card.
50. Benefit.
52. Anger.
53. To spread.
54. Under strain.
55. Clear.

DOWN

1. Thus.
2. Anglo-Saxon money.
3. Robber.
4. Conceited.
5. Goal.
6. Japanese measure.
7. Pertaining to voice.
8. Poetic for enough.
9. To believe.
10. To be ill.
11. Plaything.
16. To entitle.
18. Ground fruit.
20. To soak.
21. Web-footed bird.
22. Dismal.
23. Top.
25. Sedate.
26. To entertain.
28. Nothing.
29. Unruly crowd.
31. Church assembly.
32. Faucet.
35. Curved.
36. Fuel.
37. Alarm bell.
39. To pass rope in block.
40. Equality.
42. Narrow board.
43. To whimper.
44. Obese.
45. To cool.
46. Encore.
47. Metric land measure.
48. To steep.
51. Article.



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GIVES WARNING ON REPUDIATION

Herbert Anscomb Points to Dangers in Failing to Meet Obligations

VANCOUVER, Jan. 9 (CP).—Warning against repudiation of obligations in whole or in part by British Columbia was given here last night by Herbert Anscomb, M.L.A., Victoria, who addressed the Division Four Burrard Conservative Association.

Powers taken by the Pattullo Government under the Revenue Act, passed at the last session of the Legislature, were so drastic that the act should be known as the "Repudiation Act of British Columbia," he said.

It was possible, under the act to advertise a date when the Province was ready to pay bondholders, and, whether the bondholders had seen the advertisement or not, interest from that date would cease. "It actually gives the Government power to compel acceptance on the part of a bondholder."

Bonds held in the Old Country were given different treatment because "the Old Country will not let John Hart default."

REDEMPTION PRIVILEGE

He stated that in discussion of refunding proposals, the fact that Britain called in five per cent bonds and issued three per cent, has been used as an argument. The fact was that all English bonds carried a redemption privilege on thirty days' notice.

He warned that repudiation of obligations in whole or in part by British Columbia would be felt detrimentally over a long period. Capital would not again place itself in jeopardy here. Labor should be particularly concerned about repudiation because the Workmen's Compensation Board is a heavy investor in Provincial and municipal securities. Default of Burnaby and Prince Rupert already had been felt by the Workmen's Compensation Board.

Mr. Anscomb referred also to the Westminster bridge agreement, outcome of which, he asserted, might be another P.G.E. or Sumas reclamation. He predicted that next election there would be a great demand on candidates to abolish tolls on the bridge and the Government would ultimately take possession at great profit to the bridge company.

Hank—Had your telephone removed, Hi?

Hi—Yes—th' fools said I couldn't cuss over it! How could I tell Josh Medders his cows was in my corn without cuss.n'?

Vancouver Island

WILL ARRANGE JOINT MEETING

Ladysmith Board of Trade and Duncan Chamber Will Get Together

LADYSMITH, Jan. 9.—Improved attendance of members featured the first meeting for the new year of the Board of Trade. As a move to still further encourage members to take a more active interest in board matters, all arrears in membership fees were cancelled, and members can resume attendance with a clean slate as from January 1.

Duncan Chamber of Commerce wrote expressing an opinion that there were many matters of unusually common interest to both Ladysmith and Duncan, and suggested that joint meetings from time to time might accomplish mutual good. Arrangements will be made towards having a joint meeting in the near future.

The recently appointed Coal Commission is desirous of obtaining suggestions from the coal fields, and Mr. O'Halloran, counsel for the commission asked the board if there were any suggestions of interest to the commission. Nanaimo Board of Trade, through special committees, has made an exhaustive study of all problems affecting the coal-mining industry in the Island, and it has for some years been the policy of the Ladysmith board to rely fully upon the energetic and well-informed efforts of the Nanaimo board in the search for a solution of a very acute situation. Meanwhile, the board appointed a committee to co-operate with the City Council in these matters, should any particular local angle of the problem develop, and require attention.

REVIVAL SUGGESTED

A suggestion from the Fraser Valley that the time was opportune for the revival of the Provincial Board of Trade, was discussed, but the matter was left over for the Associated Boards of Vancouver Island to deal with.

The Board of Trade at Penticton has assumed the initiative this year in introducing the annual plan for a Provincial Highways Commission. Trunk highways only would come under the administration of this proposed commission, and all secondary roads would remain under the Department of Public Works. The proposal suggests that the principal defect of the present system is that there is no continuity in road construction and maintenance policy, and that there is consequently harmful waste and discomfort. The scheme would be financed by placing to the commission's account five cents from the price of every gallon of gasoline sold. The general principles of the proposal were endorsed, but the matter was referred to the executive of the Associated Boards of Vancouver Island for consideration.

The board approved the suggestion of B. A. McKelvie, in a recent interesting article in The Daily Colonist, on Vancouver Island, that much could be done locally to emphasize the various attractions and advantages of Ladysmith. Besides the exceptional qualities of local cherries, and the growing importance of local oyster farming, the scenic and recreational opportunities of Shell Beach should be properly exploited.

The next meeting of the board may take the form of a get-together supper session, with the City Council and the Board of School Trustees present. An endeavor will be made to procure a speaker from Victoria or some other point.

Will Contest All Offices At Courtenay

COURTENAY, Jan. 9.—At a meeting of ratepayers on Tuesday night with George W. Edwards in the chair, it was decided to contest all possible municipal offices at the civic elections on Thursday week. Candidates were nominated to fill all vacancies. These included the office of mayor, three aldermen and three school trustees. It is understood that Mayor Simms is willing to serve a further term.

NANAIMO KIWANIANS ELECT OFFICERS

NANAIMO, Jan. 9.—At the annual meeting of the Kiwanis Club yesterday evening officers for the coming year were installed by G. Cunningham, of Vancouver (who was also guest speaker of the evening), as follows: C. Stockwell, president; J. Scales, vice - president; Nicholas Wright, secretary-treasurer. G. Pimlott was awarded the attendance prize.

SAFE BLOWER ROBS COURTENAY COMPANY

COURTENAY, Jan. 9.—Provincial Police are today searching for the thief who blew the safe on the Brackman-Ker premises, here, last night, and stole a steel box containing promissory notes and papers valuable to the company. The thief is believed by police to be an expert safe-blower.

NANAIMO OBITUARY

NANAIMO, Jan. 9.—Four deaths occurred in Nanaimo and vicinity yesterday. Walter Berisford, thirty-seven, succumbed to an attack of pneumonia. He was a carpenter and had resided here since 1902. He served overseas during the Great War. He is survived by his wife and one son, Robert; his mother, Mrs. E. Berisford, Stewart Avenue; one brother, John, a local merchant, and one sister, Mrs. Walter Parkin, Rosehill Avenue. The funeral will be held at 3 p.m., Thursday, from the D. J. Jenkins, Ltd., Chapel.

At Chase River, two miles south of Nanaimo, Thomas Wilkinson, sixty-three, died early in the morning at the family residence. He had resided in Nanaimo and district since 1895. Mr. Wilkinson enjoyed Dominion-wide fame as a poultry and pigeon fancier. He leaves two sons, William G. and Thomas A., both residing at Chase River; two daughters, Mrs. J. Johnson and Miss Nellie Wilkinson, residing at Claresholm, Alta. Rev. Robert Wilkinson, of Vancouver, is a brother, and a sister, Miss E. A. Wilkinson, resides at Chase River. The late George Wilkinson, chief inspector of mines at one time, was also a brother. The funeral will take place on Thursday at 1:30 from the D. J. Jenkins, Ltd., Chapel.

A resident of Nanaimo for the past eight years passed away in the person of Mrs. Angus Russel Blain, eighty-one, her death occurring at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James P. Lang, Machleary Street. She leaves three sons in Ontario, and two daughters, Mrs. G. Whittaker, of Arkon, Sask., and Mrs. James P. Lang, of this city. The funeral will take place at 2:30, Thursday, from the Chapman Funeral Home.

Sebastion Dounnio, fifty-one, a bootblack here for many years, and familiarly known as "Curly," died in Nanaimo hospital this forenoon following a lingering illness. He leaves two small sons, Samuel and Archie.

MEETING AT METCHOSIN

METCHOSIN, Jan. 9.—Metchosin Hall annual district meeting will be held on January 14, at the hall, at 8:30 p.m., to consider reports, accounts, election of officers for 1935, and to discuss all the business of the hall. Residents over eighteen years of age are entitled to attend and vote at the meeting, the only occasion on which criticisms and suggestions can be made effective.

"The law is elastic," said a judge recently. That explains why some judges get longer stretches than others.

WHITE RACE ENDANGERED DUCE WARNS

Mussolini Sees Danger Ahead if Birth Rates Continue to Fall

DESTINED TO PASS AS THE ROMAN DID

ROME, Jan. 9.—Another warning to the white races of the world and the Italian people in particular that they must do their part in "the war of the babies" is given in an article in "Popolo d'Italia," attributed to Signor Mussolini.

The Italian Premier cites the enormous increase of weddings in Germany, saying that there were 120,000 more weddings there in 1933 than in 1932.

"If this extraordinary increase is due to the energetic policy for more babies put into operation by the Nazi revolution, it shows more than anything else that Hitlerism has penetrated very deeply into the spirit of the German people," writes Signor Mussolini. "It is a warning for the whole world — not excluding Italy."

FALLING BEHIND

The Duce goes on to recall that numerous Italian cities were falling behind in the race for more babies. In Fiume, there was an excess of births over deaths in September of only two — "a horrible example." Triest citizens are taken to task because in October the population decreased by seventeen. He laments that in Pistoia, a town of 70,000 people, only eighty-six births occurred in October.

Numerous other Italian cities are condemned for not responding satisfactorily to the "more babies" campaign.

The article follows upon two other such warnings recently issued by Signor Mussolini, in which he lamented the falling-off of the birth rates in Britain, the United States and even in Argentina, where the population would be stationary by 1936.

POWER OF JAPAN

The growing power of Japan was also referred to. This had resulted in Japan's imperial policy being directed to expansion. Unless the white races seized the moment to arrest their falling birth rates, they were destined to die just as the Romans did.

Before all else, he said, the decline of the Roman Empire was due to the fact that in the last century of the empire, Rome had to be defended by mercenaries because the number of Roman soldiers was insufficient to defend the frontiers.

What Today Means

"CAPRICORN"

If January 10 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., and from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m., from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m., and from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m.

If you allow yourself to indulge in irritable thoughts on this January 10 they are likely to make you highly temperamental. You can avoid getting into an unhappy state of mind if you do not allow yourself to dwell on any subject of an unpleasant nature. There will be plenty of business to be had by the "go-getter" type of individual. Chair warmers cannot expect results in these days of keen competition. A friend may offer to help you to straighten out a business or social matter which requires diplomatic handling. It might prove advisable for you to remember the old saying that "Too many cooks spoil the broth." In your social contacts on this date it might be well to avoid any form of abruptness, if you wish to create a favorable impression. Married and engaged couples, as well as those eager to enter upon an affair d'amour, may engage in discussions where it will be decidedly wise not to let temper get the better of politiness.

If a woman, and January 10 is your birthday, you have a heart so responsive to the troubles of others that you are frequently burdened with responsibilities you should not assume. This may be an eventful day for you in a very pleasant way. Your fortune may change for the better through a string of circumstances that may be bought about by something which occurred a long time ago. You have a gift for directing as well as managing, so a business requiring personal contact with employees and the general public may give you the opportunity to secure recognition. Tearoom or restaurant work should offer you a congenial way in which to make money. A domestic career will possibly bring the greatest happiness into your life.

The child born on January 10, generally when it passes its tenth year, develops such a keen sense of understanding that its parents find a great deal of joy in its companionship.

If a man, and January 10 is your natal day, you should be a marvelous student of human nature. Your depth of understanding will probably become a valuable asset in both your business and social contacts. Being versatile and talented, there should be a place for you on the stage or in the artist's studio. Educational work, legal practice or journalism may have honors in store for one of your intellectual attainments.

HALS PORTRAIT SOLD

LONDON.—A small portrait by Franz Hals, famous seventeenth century Dutch painter, rediscovered recently after having been lost for many years, realized $6,000 at a sale in Sotheby's auction rooms.

DIGGING UP THE NEWS

A Story About a Last Kiss That Seems to Have Gone Around the World; Another About a Husband Who Regretted He Was Not a Widower, and a Woman Who Forgot to Include Me in a Round of Drinks

By HERBERT RAMSAY

As will have been gathered from some of the foregoing articles, the getting of a news story was largely a matter of luck. One might spend an hour or two trying to get at the facts of a crime, or an accident, and get little, and at other times one might stumble on communicative witnesses at once. Perhaps it will shock some of my readers to learn that on these occasions experience has taught me that the first place to go for information was the "pub" nearest to the scene. There people would repair to talk over the events with their friends and the landlord, and those who had something to tell used to be sure of innumerable free drinks from other people in the bar to tell their story. Some of the best stories I ever got were garnered in bar-rooms.

HERBERT RAMSAY

One such story of mine apparently went around the world.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT

A serious railway accident occurred on the outskirts of London, near Croydon. A number of people were killed. After a "cleaning-up" on the scene of the wreck, I looked around for the nearest pub, feeling pretty certain that I would find some eye-witnesses who might be drowning their sorrows in telling their story to awed listeners. Sure enough, one man was the centre of a knot of people, and I started talking to him. In justice to him I might say he was perfectly sober. He told how he had lifted a beam off the chest of a young woman, and with her dying breath she said to him: "Kiss me before I die, I want to know I have been loved by someone." "I kissed her," said the man, and she died in my arms." It was an exceedingly pathetic incident, and I regret to say that for a long time afterwards my colleagues "joshed me" about it unmercifully. But it was quite true as far as I know. A few years ago I picked up an American magazine—Collier's, I think—in the office, and in idly turning over the pages came upon an article headed: "Some Famous Last Kisses." Casting my eyes casually up and down the pages, I was amazed and amused to find my "Kiss Me Before I Die" story. So that it pursued me across the Atlantic.

FAMOUS KISSES

Among "famous last kisses" was that of Mr. and Mrs. Seddon in the dock at the Old Bailey. The Seddons were charged with the murder of a Miss Barrow by poisoning. The murdered woman was an elderly person of substantial means who lived alone. Seddon persuaded her to go to live at his home. In due course he got her to sign all her money over to him, amounting to several thousands of pounds on the promise that they would give her board and lodgings for life and also allow her one pound a week to spend. That was an exceedingly foolish thing for her to do, and it cost her life. Not long afterwards she "became ill." Seddon personally took her food to her and Mrs. Seddon acted as nurse. She died and Seddon got all her money. He did not even inform her relatives, but some time later they heard of her death, and finding that Seddon had her money, they became suspicious. An order for exhumation of the body was obtained, and it was found that she had died of arsenical poisoning. Seddon was found guilty and hanged; Mrs. Seddon was acquitted. When the verdict was brought in Mr. and Mrs. Seddon kissed in the dock for the last times in their lives. Seddon made a Masonic sign to the judge, who was also a Mason, and the judge severely reprimanded him for doing so.

That night I went to Mrs. Seddon's home to get an interview with her. She had not much to [illegible] but seemed to me to be somewhat pleased with herself.

STORY FROM "PUB"

Another story obtained in a pub was one of the funniest experiences I ever had. There had been an explosion in a cafe near Victoria Station. A hot water urn on the counter had burst, blowing out the front window as well as wrecking the interior, and a woman was killed. By the time I got there the front was boarded up, but I followed the usual practice and went into the adjacent saloon. Sure enough there was an eye-witness! I wanted, the centre of a group of listeners.

By this time he had been treated to innumerable beers, and he had no hesitation about accepting another from me. But he was in a state of maudlin obfuscation and I had considerable difficulty in ascertaining what he had seen. From time to time he spoke of a woman, who, he said, "'ad 'her adjective head blown off." At length it dawned on me that he meant his own wife. Assuming a professional air of sympathy, I said: "Oh, I am exceedingly sorry. It was your wife who had her head blown off?"

Cold print cannot convey to you the tone of disgust and scorn in his voice, but my sympathetic tone changed to sudden laughter when he replied:

"Wot My old woman 'ad 'her 'ead blown off? N-a-o-w. No such —luck!"

TRAGEDY AND HUMOR

Tragedy and humor are sometimes strangely mixed. Drama is often found in the lives of very humble people. A novelist in search of material need only spend a few weeks in the police court and sessions in a great city to find material aplenty for stories, laughter and tears being about evenly divided. The regrets of the man that his wife's head had not been blown off recalls to mind an incident of another character. Word came from the Home Office one Saturday morning that a young man who was to have been executed the following week for the murder of his girl friend had been reprieved, there being extenuating circumstances. He had been raised by an aunt, although his parents, who were very poor, were still living. The managing editor thought it would make a good Sunday paper story if I went to his aunt's home in Islington and got an interview with her. She resided in an apartment house where there were perhaps a dozen families altogether. The old lady was in a very tearful mood as she talked about "my boy," as she called him. "He didn't deserve this, poor lad," she said, wiping her eyes with her apron, then, of course, it flashed upon me that as she was not his next of kin she had not been informed of the reprieve. I had assumed that she had. "Didn't you know," I said with a note of exultation as a bringer of good news, "that he had been reprieved?" "What," she cried, leaping from her chair and grabbing me by the shoulders. "How do you know?" I told her it was official from the Home Office. Without another word she ran to a window, flung it wide open, put her head out and yelled: "He's been reprieved! He's been reprieved!" Forgetting my existence, she opened the door and ran downstairs, shouting, "He's been reprieved!" and a moment later when I followed into the courtyard the wives in the block had trooped out and they were all laughing and crying together with the old aunt. "Come on, girls," she said. "The drinks are on me." And the last I saw was a procession of women who had thrown down their household implements and were marching across the street to "The Angel" for a celebration. I didn't get the kind of story I wanted, but it was good enough. I have no doubt that when the old lady recovered her equilibrium, she regretted that she forgot to include me in the invitation.

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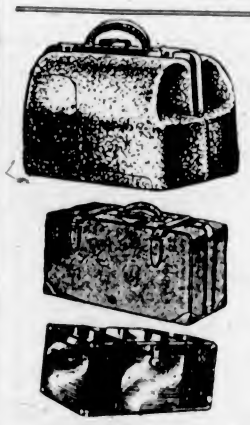

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